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Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—I received today copies of the Paris *Figaro* and the *Gaulois*, of the 19th inst., from an American lady, who made the journey from Paris to Dieppe in an open caleche alone, after the railway lines had been cut. She displayed the American flag, and got through without difficulty.

THE BATTLE AT CRETEIL.

In the fight at Creteil, the *Gaulois* says that 15,000 men of the corps of Gen. VINOY, engaged in a reconnoissance, had to make head against between 30,000 and 40,000 Prussians. They inflicted on the latter heavy losses. The French had only fifteen killed and thirty wounded.

VICTORY CLAIMED BY THE GERMANS.

The Prussian account of the same fight, to-night, gives an entirely different version. It says that the French were badly defeated.

BAVARIAN ACCOUNT.

MUNICH, Sept. 21.—The Bavarian Minister of War has received a dispatch from Lagny, dated Sept. 20, at 7 o'clock in the evening, giving the following details of the recent battle near Paris, in which the Bavarians were engaged: Yesterday a sharp battle occurred between Villenuve and Montrouge. The French forces consisted of three divisions, commanded by Gen. VINOY, and were supported by a strong redoubt. They were defeated nevertheless. The Second Bavarian Corps supported by the Prussians sustained the attack. The Bavarians took seven cannon and over a 1,000 prisoners. The French were driven back into their intrenchments.

A PRUSSIAN REPULSE.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—It is reported that the Prussians on the line of the Orleans Railway, after a sharp engagement, were repulsed and fell back upon Malesherbes and Pithiviers.

[Pithiviers is about forty-five miles from Paris and Malesherbes about thirty-six, and both are distant from the Orleans Railway line about twelve or fifteen miles.]

Other Accounts of Recent Operations About Paris—Prussian Success Confirmed.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—An official dispatch, received here from the Prussian head-quarters before Paris, reports that a redoubt, with seven guns, has been captured by the German troops.

KING WILLIAM'S ACCOUNT.

Another dispatch from the King to the Queen, dated Tuesday, says:

"The French abandoned their position near Pierrefitte, north of Fort St. Denis. At the same time, the Prusso-Bavarian Corps crossing the Seine, near Villeneuve, attacked three divisions under the command of Gen. VINOY, on the heights of Sceaux, and captured seven guns and many men. FRITZ directed the movements. The weather is superb."

ANOTHER FRENCH RUMOR.

GIEN, Sept. 20.—Reports are coming in that the Prussians investing Paris have been defeated in the plains of Meudon and Sevres with heavy loss.

Repulse of Gen. Vinoy Admitted by the French.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The French report of the capture of the outwork at Vincennes from Tours to-night admits the main facts. It states that after the falling back of Gen. VINOY, yesterday, two German corps from Melun came up to Villeneuve St. George, on the line of the Lyons Railway, and availing themselves of the cover of the forest of Vincennes pressed on toward Nogent, crossing the line of the Marne. They attacked a redoubt directly in front of the Ferne Napoleon, on the railway line, and after an obstinate combat captured it. The guns taken were the guns of the redoubt, but there were no more than 300 or 400 prisoners captured.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

The American Representatives in Communication with the British Foreign Office—A Modern Nero—Results of M. Thiers' Mission—Irritation Over Prussian Persistence.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Col. MOORE, of the American Legation at Paris, leaves London, to-morrow for Tours, whence he will return to the French capital. He comes back to London within ten days. Active negotiation is being carried on between our Legations in Paris and London and the English Foreign Office on the subject of an armistice.

BRITISH APATHY REBUKED.

A letter from Lord LYTTON, reproaching the English Government for its apathy in the cause of peace, has produced a marked effect in public sentiment here. He accuses the Ministry of having justly incurred the reproach made against NERO of "fiddling while Rome was burning."

M. THIERS' MISSION.

The Paris journals speak encouragingly of the mission of M. THIERS to England. He has received favorable news from Vienna and St. Petersburg. The latter Cabinets are disposed to lend France all the moral aid possible.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—The *Constitutionnel* of this city, says M. THIERS is perfectly satisfied with the result of the mission to England, including the authorization of Lord LYONS to act in the intermediary negotiations. M. THIERS now goes to Vienna in order to get the adhesion of Austria also if possible.

PRUSSIAN IMPLACABILITY.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The *Times* and other morning journals are irritated at Prussian implacability. The *Times* says Prussia can afford to be generous. She should be satisfied now, and treat for peace.

SIEGE OF PARIS.

The City Completely Invested—Petroleum as a Substitute for Greek Fire—Concentration of Provincial Troops Ordered—The Gun-boats on the Seine.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Paris is reported, by a dispatch from the Prussian King to Berlin, dated the 19th, as being completely invested.

A DESTRUCTIVE AGENT.

Under the title of "Fusee," Mr. SWAN, the English civil engineer and chemist, announces that he has invented a projectile for use on the walls of Paris against the Prussians. It spreads a sheet of flame on a surface of from sixteen to twenty-four square yards from the burning of petroleum. Two hundred workmen are actively engaged in manufacturing these projectiles. R.

TO PARIS VIA BERLIN.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The City of Paris is entirely shut in, and all avenues of communication are cut off except by way of Berlin.

ACTIVITY OF THE BESIEGED.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—There is marvelous activity on the part of the French at and around Paris. Earthworks are being thrown up at the northern approaches to the city, and the defenses on the other sides are being strengthened every hour.

DIVERSIONS.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—The Government has ordered troops in all parts of the country to converge on Paris. It is reported that a large number of troops and volunteers are at Lille. It is expected that these and the troops now in the eastern departments will soon create diversions.

THE SEINE GUN-BOATS.

The iron-clad gun-boats for the defense of Paris have commenced operations.

METZ, TOUL AND STRASBOURG.

Bazaine's Forces Provisioned for Weeks—Repulse of Prussians at Toul—An Unsuccessful Sortie at Strasbourg.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The *Uniters* states from a reliable source that Metz is fully provisioned for many weeks, and cannot be taken by assault or by famine. In an affair on the 9th inst., thirteen Prussian regiments were nearly annihilated. R.

A PRUSSIAN REPULSE.

ESPINAL, Sept. 20.—Toul has again been attacked, but the Prussians were repulsed and their guns dismounted.

OPERATIONS AT STRASBOURG.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—It is said that Gen. WERDER threatens to utterly destroy the City of Strasbourg if it does not surrender.

A dispatch from Mundelsheim states that on Tuesday Lunette No. 53, before the walls of Strasbourg, was taken by the Landwehr, notwithstanding a galling rifle fire.

MUNICH, Sept. 21.—The Bavarian Minister of War has received the following: The French garrison made a sortie from Strasbourg yesterday, but were driven back with heavy loss.

GENERAL WAR NOTES.

American Interests in France—South Germany Using Prussia—One of Napoleon's Ministers in Trouble—Status of the New Government.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The United States Government has given orders that a war-vessel from the Mediterranean Squadron shall remain in one of the principal French ports for the protection of American citizens and commerce.

A GERMAN REPUBLIC.

I had a curious statement, this morning, from a well-known American just returned from Germany, who said that the Southern States are only using Prussia in the war in order eventually to proclaim a Republic. Republican sentiment is general throughout Germany.

AN EX-IMPERIAL MINISTER IN DANGER.

M. CHEVANDIER DE VALDROME, late Minister of the Interior, while returning to his department, with a safe conduct from his successor, GAMBETTA, was set upon by the populace of Romberviliers, and again at Ravon l'Etap. He was very badly used, and was in danger of being killed. R.

THE NEW FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

MADRID, Sept. 21.—It now seems that Señor OLOZAGA had been instructed to recognize the French Republic when Lord LYONS, the English Minister, did so, yet he acted without waiting the latter's recognition.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The *Times* says the revolution at Paris is recognized as Republican; that at Lyons as Social. The red flag has been adopted by the latter.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—The members of the Government were yesterday visited by the foreign Ambassadors who have arrived from Paris.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Movements of the Prussians in France—Zouaves and Chasseurs Landed at Toulon—Softening Influence of Masonry in the War.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The German forces have occupied Nemours.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—It is rumored that the Prussians have entered Orleans. The following dispatches have been received by the Ministry:

COLMAR, Sept. 20.—The department of Haut-Rhin has been completely evacuated by the German troops, and the drawings of the conscription have been resumed. At Mulhausen all is quiet. Should the enemy return the population will be prepared to resist.

TOULON, Sept. 21.—Transports landed here today 6,000 Zouaves and 2,000 Chasseurs-à-cheval.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 21.—The Municipal Council have voted a war loan of 10,000,000 francs.

FRENCH COAST DEFENSE—A VOLUNTEER.

TOURS, Sept. 21.—Floating batteries have been constructed to defend the entrances of the rivers of France.... Gen. FLIPLEY (American,) who is now in Paris, has offered his services to the Committee of Defense.

MASONIC AMENITIES.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The Freemasons in the German and French armies have given earnest evidence of their brotherhood and humanity during the war.

BADEN AND THE GERMAN COUNCIL.

The Baden Government has formally rejected such decrees of the Council as conflict with her laws.

Bavaria has made arrangements to supply her army with a new pattern of mitrailleuse, which fires 300 balls per minute.

Russia is moving large bodies of troops into Poland.

CITY WAR NEWS.

The French National Subscription.

The French Subscription Committee of this City, yesterday, again made a remittance of the funds at its disposal in aid of the French wounded, amounting to £1,600 sterling. The money has been forwarded in a check to ROTHSCHILD & SONS, in London, to avoid any risk or delay in the transmission of the funds. The check is addressed to Baron ROTHSCHILD, Treasurer of the Société de Secours aux Blessés, at Paris. On account of the investment of Paris it was thought a direct transmission of the funds from here would be hazardous. This is the fourth remittance made by the French Committee in this City, resulting from the subscriptions since the 2d of this month among the French in this City, Boston, Philadelphia, Newark, Louisville, Mobile, Houston, Galveston, Natchitoches, and other localities in the United States. Thus far, the remittances made by the Committee amount to 110,000 francs, exclusive of 20,000 francs transmitted directly by three parties making the donation.

Advices received by the Committee from Memphis, Tenn., state that the French residents in that city have formed a committee to raise subscriptions, which during the first ten days of its existence has been enabled to raise $1,022 80, which has been transmitted to Mr. GERDT, the President of the Committee in this City. A dispatch from San Francisco has been received stating that the French national subscription at that place has reached the sum of $40,000 in gold, besides monthly subscriptions amounting to $6,500. Advices from Chicago and Detroit have been received, setting forth that the French at these localities continue to be active in raising funds. At St. Louis a considerable amount was raised in a mass meeting held there a few days since, and it is estimated that the whole amount of subscriptions raised in the United States thus far to alleviate the sufferings of the wounded soldiers of France is not less than $100,000.

The German War-Fund Collections.

The Executive Committee of the German Aid Society of the Sixteenth Ward reports that during the past week $103 have been raised by the Germans of that district, making a total of $1,404 raised thus far. The delegates of the Society to the General Committee have been instructed to remonstrate against the collections for specified localities.

The Committee of German Ladies, organized during the past week in aid of the patriotic cause, is active in making preparations for the Fair, which is to be opened in the armory of the Thirty-seventh Regiment, and they are successful in procuring aid and assistance even from Americans. For instance, two American bankers have made a donation of $1,000 each. Among the gentlemen who are assisting the ladies in their enterprise the name of Judge BENEDICT is mentioned. One of the ladies of the Executive Committee collected over $5,000 in a single day. The firm of STEINWAY has contributed a piano, and has thrown open its rooms for the use of the Committee during their sittings.

Ultimatum of the Germans of Newark.

The committee, appointed at the German war meeting at Newark, on Tuesday evening, composed of Messrs. RUMPF, KUERNHOLD and DAUBERT, yesterday telegraphed, per cable, the following dispatch, as the substance of an address, to Berlin:

"No foreign intervention! France must bear the consequences of its acts. Indemnity for injuries inflicted. Guarantees for the future. Payment of the costs of the war. Re-embrace of Alsace and Lorraine. One united Germany. A free state, one law, and national representation!"

Riot at East New-York—New-York Roughs Fighting Among Themselves—The Military Called Out.

Yesterday sixty men from the dry-dock, calling themselves the "Atlantic Juniors," visited Brede's Hotel, East New-York, on a target excursion. They were accompanied by nearly one hundred persons who were not members of the company, and are known by those who entertain target companies as "outsiders," and were composed of the most disreputable characters, male and female, to be found in the Eleventh Ward of this City. There were from twenty to thirty girls, between the ages of thirteen and seventeen, the majority of whom were inebriated before the day was two hours old, their conduct being obscene in the extreme. About 2 o'clock P. M., Mr. BREDE placed on the table a dinner which he had prepared for 100 guests. The dining-room was forcibly entered and everything was swept from the table. Whole hams and chickens were carried off, and the crockery-ware was smashed to the value of $50. At 3 o'clock P. M. the "outsiders" then commenced to fight, their drunken brawls causing the greatest alarm to the residents of the village. The rencontre was most severe. Heads were cut open, black eyes and bloody noses were numerous; some of the females had their teeth knocked out, and one had her arm broken.

The three policemen of the town, Officers HACK, SCHENCK and SPANGENBERG, assisted by Watchman ADAMS and six Deputy Sheriffs, did their utmost to separate the combatants and keep them from maltreating each other. Their efforts were of little avail among such a large crowd armed with guns, swords, &c., who grew more bold and more exasperated. For a time the residents were preparing for any attack that might be made on the stores or money-drawers of business houses. The aid of the locusts was brought to bear on the offenders, and did good service, but the free use of bed whisky gave fresh vigor to the roughs, and the proprietors of dry-goods establishments, had to close their places of business in the vicinity of the trouble, to protect themselves and property. The rioters seemed to be getting possession of the town until the arrival of Supervisor SCHENCK, who ordered out Company C, of the Twenty-eighth Regiment, in command of Capt. ALEXANDER. The roughs became removed stand of fear, and after a few more slight encounters, retired to the large room of Brede's Hotel. After an interview between Capt. ALTERBRANDT and Capt. F. H. O'BRIEN, of the Juniors, the latter agreed to surrender his men to the care of Company C, who, with fixed bayonets, marched the roughs outside the limits of the town. During the day many tills were robbed, and one dry-goods dealer lost a whole piece of calico and several small articles of trifling value.

The Attempted Suicide of Andrew Wilson, Jr.—Additional Particulars.

From the connection of ANDREW WILSON, Jr., with the Grand Park enterprise, the report of his attempted suicide at his residence at Mamaroneck, on Tuesday, attracted much notice. The main facts in the case were given in the TIMES, yesterday, but the following additional particulars have since been obtained. Since the embarrassments connected with the Grand Park enterprise have arisen, Mr. WILSON has seemed to be completely unmanned, and has been confined the most of the time to his bed. He has several times threatened to make way with himself, and in other ways manifested symptoms of insanity. Tuesday was the day fixed for the final completion of the business arrangements of the enterprise, and the papers placing the project in other hands than his own were to be signed. During the morning he appeared particularly depressed, and about 1 P. M. taking a common butcher-knife from the house, he went into the barn, where he deliberately removed his coat, vest and collar, and had already inflicted the probably fatal wound, when a working man rushed in and wrested the knife from his grasp. He was taken to the house and a physician called, who sewed up the terrible cut. Later in the day he became so excited from a business interview that before his attendants could prevent him he tore open afresh the wound, rendering medical assistance again necessary. It was thought yesterday that Mr. WILSON would not survive his injury, although he was still alive up to a late hour last evening.

It has now become clear that there will be an independent Democratic ticket in the field at the coming election in Brooklyn. The Citizen's Association, between whom and the independent Germans a coalition is to take place, will hold a meeting to consider matters to-night in Montague Hall.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

A Dull Session and a Sleepy Audience—Old Encumbents Renominated—The Platform Satisfies Nobody—A Denunciation of Thieves and Roughs.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 21.—After two brief sessions, the Democracy closed their Convention early this evening by putting in the field a State ticket composed entirely of the present incumbents of the various offices to which they are renominated. This is the latest demonstration of the old Democratic doctrine of rotation in office, the whole programme being cut and dried beforehand. The proceedings of the Convention were of course excessively tame and uninteresting. The audience was put to sleep at the outset by TILDEN's speech, and most of them did not wake again till the affair was all over. The resolutions, which it was expected would be a feature of the proceedings, proved to be the dullest part of the whole farce, and, except where they attacked the Republicans or satisfied HOFFMAN, failed to elicit any enthusiasm or applause. On all important questions they are either silent or non-committal, and nobody appears to be satisfied with them. The Germans are disgusted with the two-faced treatment of the war question, and the Cuban sympathisers are equally dissatisfied with the sop thrown to them. Col. RYAN, who attended the Convention, says the Democracy have not done so well on this question as the Republicans did at Saratoga. As was expected, the Young Democracy were ignored entirely. They were refused tickets of admission to the Convention except as visitors, and when their application for seats was presented through a third party, the Chairman refused to entertain it, or to appoint a committee to consider their claims. The protest sent in at the afternoon session against the right of the Tammany delegation to represent either Tammany Hall or the Democracy of New-York, was not even noticed. The Young Democracy say they are entirely satisfied with the result, as it leaves them free to support the ticket or not, as they see fit. The great and only distinguishing feature of the Convention, was the swarms of thieves, roughs and rowdies from New-York, that filled the hall and plied their trade in the streets and hotels of the city. There have been more than a dozen cases of pocket-picking during the day, including, among the victims, Mr. LUTES, the Mayor of Rochester. To cap the climax, old Uncle SAM TILDEN, Chairman of the State Committee, had his watch snatched from his pocket as he was leaving the hall on the final adjournment. In this instance, owing to the crowd, the thief failed to make his escape, and is now in the lock-up. The New-York delegations of both factions disavow all responsibility for the presence of the thieves here. The crowd that came up in the special train on the Erie Road contained a large number of thieves and roughs who committed their depredations on saloon-keepers at every stopping place on the route. It is said that on the starting of the train from Jersey City, these fellows scattered themselves through the cars, some having tickets and others not. Where the tickets were obtained is not known, as none were given out except to known and reputable persons. The Tammany leaders deny that they belonged to their party, and utterly repudiate and condemn their conduct on the passage, and after their arrival here. The Young Democracy are equally emphatic in disowning them, and therefore they must constitute a new and third party. Their attendance at a Democratic Convention is sufficient proof that they belong to the Democracy, and for want of a better name they may be called the Thieves' Democracy. Those of them who have not been arrested, are to take a special train home at 11½ o'clock to-night. It would be well for a few detectives to meet them at the Jersey City Depot, and decide the mooted question as to where they came from, and who they belong to. The meeting to ratify the ticket here to-night, is quite large and very boisterous. S.

Detailed Report of the Proceedings—Speeches by S. J. Tilden, Richard O'Gorman and Others—The Young Democracy Snubbed—The Platform and Ticket—A Batch of Renominations.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 21.—At 12:30 o'clock P. M. the Democratic State Convention was called to order by Hon. SAMUEL J. TILDEN, Chairman of the State Committee, who proceeded to deliver an address of some length. He referred to the European war and the condition of the people engaged in the contest, and drew a contrast between the European systems and our own system of Government. He called attention to the vast standing armies required in Europe, which draw their support from the means of the people. He then proceeded to speak against the centralization of power, which he declared was in direct opposition to the fundamental principles of our Government. He charged the Republican Party with being a party of centralization; that centralization meant imperialism, and that if the centralizing policy of that party prevails, we shall see in our country what we now see on the Continent of Europe, when we may bid a long adieu to all that has made ours the great and glorious country it is. After further criticising the course of the Republican Party, he urged the Convention to press onward with the principles of the Democratic Party, and closed by nominating as temporary Chairman, WM. C. DEWITT of Kings County, which was carried.

ADDRESS OF MR. DE WITT.

Mr. DEWITT was conducted to the chair by Messrs. CHAMBERLAIN and DE WOLF. On taking the chair, he returned his thanks, and then proceeded to address the Convention, referring to the condition of the nation, which called for the exercise of the arts of peace and not of war. He then entered upon a sharp criticism of the Republican Party, denouncing all its acts. When referring to Gov. HOFFMAN as a man who had proved himself fully up to the standard of the people's demands, three cheers were called for and given for JOHN T. HOFFMAN. At the close of the speech there were continuous cheers.

On motion, Messrs. S. S. ELLSWORTH, of Yates, and D. HILLES, Jr., of Seneca, were appointed Secretaries. The rules of order of the House of Assembly were adopted. The list of delegates was then called, and the Chair announced that there were no contesting delegations.

SAMUEL D. MOTT, of Queens County, rose and said that he had had handed to him a list of delegates from New-York which contested the seats of those delegates whose names had been read, and asked for a committee to examine the case.

The Chair stated that he could not receive the names of any delegates except those read by the Secretary, which was the Tammany list. [Applause.]

On motion, committees were ordered to be appointed on Resolutions and Permanent Officers.

COMMITTEES.

The Chair named the following as the Committee on Resolutions: First District, Richard O'Gorman; Ira Chamberlain; Second District, Thomas Kinsella, G. E. Crawford; Third District, F. S. Denforth, Jacob L. Freer; Fourth District, S. W. Buell, H. Derby; Fifth District, Isaac McGinnis, Julius Harle; Sixth District, Charles Hallet, R. K. Agnew; Seventh District, Geo. B. Bradley, W. D. Dryer; Eighth District, Joseph Warren, E. H. Hetener. On Permanent Organization—First District, Wm. M. Tweed; Second District, G. E. Crawford; Third District, B. Olney; Fourth District, Simon V. Smith; Fifth District, Delos DeWolf; Sixth District, S. Gordon, Jr.; Seventh District, R. Miles Allen; Eighth District, Jonas K. Button.

The Committee then took a recess till 3½ o'clock, P. M.

The Convention reassembled in Corinthian Hall at 4¼ o'clock. Mr. A. B. BANKS moved that the name of the delegate from the Fourth District of Albany be called. The Chair declared the motion lost against calls for the yeas and nays.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.

Mr. DELOS DE WOLF, from the Committee on Permanent Organization, reported for Chairman, Wm. T. Odell, of Saratoga; for Vice-Presidents—from the First District, Oswald Ottendorfer and M. Connolly; Second District, Frederick Grote and James F. Pearce; Third District, James S. Freer and James A. Farrell; Fourth District, Patrick Crowe and Caleb Wells; Fifth District, H. W. Anderson and Frank Seeger; Sixth District, Geo. F. Magee and E. K. Apgar; Seventh District, D. C. Howell and Jas. Snyder; Eighth District, Robert Armstrong and David Williams. Secretaries—Magnus Gross, C. Nelson, John H. Colby, L. Hasbrouck, Jr., Wm. Coburn, D. Willery, S. S. Ellsworth and John W. Wiley. The report was adopted. Messrs. CHAMBERLAIN, of New-York, and MCCONLEY, of Kings, were appointed a committee to escort Mr. ODELL to the chair. On taking the chair Mr. ODELL briefly addressed the Convention.

RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. WARREN, of Erie, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, submitted the following, which he read, and moved their adoption:

Resolved, That the present Federal Administration has come short of the expectations of its own friends and of the obligations to the people, and fails to regain public confidence. Its inability to devise an intelligent financial policy and the restoration of a sound currency, its failure to relieve the internal revenue system of oppressive and complicated features, its neglect to reform the tariff so as to avoid revenue to the few at the expense of the many; its enormous gifts to capitalists of the public lands, washing the common property of the people; its retention in office of unworthy men; its maintenance of taxes to an extent largely in excess of the amount necessary to pay the interest on the public debt and the expenses of the Government; its feeble and undecided foreign policy, and the undisguised want of harmony between the Executive and Congress, are proofs of the incapacity to manage our public affairs for the public good, which is the chief duty of the party in power with elections in the States, and to hinder immigrants from other lands from assuming the obligations of citizens, and the use of military force in many instances for the purpose of overawing voters, is an evidence of its willingness to disgrace the rights of the people and to violate the sound principles of free government.

Resolved, That our tariff of duties, like all taxes, should have the one only lawful purpose of obtaining necessary revenue, and that the present system of favoritism, unwalled protection, laying taxes for the special benefit of a few capitalists, is simple robbery of the many of the people. Duties on tea and coffee, the luxuries of the Government, may be raised, free trade is the true policy of the country.

Resolved, That we demand the simplification of our system of internal revenue, the abolition of all unjustifiable taxes, and the reduction of the whole volume of taxation now in excess of the wants of the Government and the exigencies of the public credit.

Resolved, That a well regulated license system is less obnoxious than the attempt to suppress intemperance and good morals, and that prohibition, whether by State or local legislature, is in violation of personal right.

Resolved, That the past history of the Radical Party warrants us in denouncing the recent acts of Congress interfering with State elections, and introducing foreigners seeking citizenship, as part of a vast scheme to perpetuate the ruling dynasty, by destroying the right of free elections, and to perpetuate the corrupt rule at Washington against the will of the people.

Resolved, That we rejoice at the downfall of the Imperial dynasty in France, and trust that on its ruins a republic will be firmly established, and we express the earnest hope that the people of Germany, having, by heroic bravery and brilliant achievements of arms, shown their overwhelming power and ability to resist the aggression of France, a union, will establish, on an enduring basis, their own unity under one nationality, maintaining in Central Europe the cause of civilization and progress.

Resolved, That we sympathize with the Cubans and with Ireland, Cuba, and with all subject dependencies everywhere, which seek to be relieved from a domination alien to their soil and hostile to the interests of their people, and that we condemn the action of the Federal Government in refusing to the Cubans all moral support, and actively aiding its enemies.

Resolved, That the importation into the United States of bodies of Asiatics, held in bondage by contract, to compete with our laborers, at a lower rate and scale of personal comfort, is detrimental to the dignity and happiness of the laboring classes and dangerous to the peace and prosperity of the State.

Resolved, That the imprisonment of our citizens recently convicted of a violation of our Neutrality laws, and now suffering imprisonment therefor, the laws of justice and the important objects of the law having been attained, we believe that at this time a pardon would be more in keeping and consistent with the dignity of our Government and its regard for international obligations.

Resolved, That as many of the issues which have divided good citizens are now settled, we invite all conservative citizens, irrespective of former political differences, to unite with us in securing the ascendancy in the Government of the principle on which alone, in our judgment, the safety and prosperity of the Republic, which, under God, has been secured by the valor of the American people, secured peace and prosperity for all.

Resolved, That this Convention approve the canal policy recommended by a Democratic Governor and adopted by a Democratic Legislature, looking to the completion of the canals, making them adequate to the demands of an expanding commerce and eventually subject only to such charges as will operate as a remunerative revenue, and we commend the last Legislature in submitting to the people the proposal to fund the canal debt, in view of the importance of the question involved, is also approved.

Resolved, That we commend to the people of this State have an executive officer who, in purity of life, in personal accomplishments and in elevated statesmanship, is worthy to be the successor of TOMPKINS, CLINTON, SEWARD and HOFFMAN. He has fully redeemed the promises upon which he was elected; he has firmly repressed the excess to special legislation; has repelled the encroachment of class interests upon the public Treasury, and has guarded the franchises of municipalities and the rights of incorporated rights. His veto have protected the Constitution and the Commonwealth from improvident laws and dangerous combinations; he has introduced a valuable reform in the pardoning power, by transferring power in making known to the Legislature, and through them, to the people, his reasons for every pardon granted; while tempering justice with mercy, he has not forgotten his duty to the domestic relations, to enforce with firmness the laws against crime.

When the name of Gov. HOFFMAN was read, there was long and continued applause.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted with great applause.

THE NOMINATION OF HOFFMAN.

Mr. TWEED moved the nomination of a Governor. On the motion of a delegate the nomination was ordered to be made by acclamation. Mr. OTTENDORFFER, after a few remarks, nominated JOHN T. HOFFMAN, which was received with cheers and applause. Mr. RICHARD O'GORMAN seconded the nomination with a brief speech.

Mr. O'GORMAN's address was frequently interrupted by cheers and applause. He spoke of the titleness of the Republican Party, the greatness of the State of New-York, and the statesmanship of JOHN T. HOFFMAN. Referring to the great expenses of our Government, he claimed that the people had the right to demand a good Government and not a Government which was a mere spy to the Government of Spain. The people also had a right to demand that their claims against Great Britain should be at once and fully settled. He had no doubt of the success of the Democratic ticket. Indeed, he scarcely believed that any person was seriously running against Mr. HOFFMAN, but he wanted a good victory. He wanted such a victory now as will settle the question as to who is to be the next occupant of the White House. He was happy to know that Mr. HOFFMAN was nominated by an American citizen born in Germany, while the nomination was seconded by a Democrat of the old stock born in Ireland. This was typical of the patriotism which governed the people of this happy country.

The nomination was then made by acclamation amid repeated cheers. Mr. TWEED was called out, and addressed the Convention. He assured it that the City of New-York would give from 35,000 to 65,000 majority for the ticket nominated here today.

THE OTHER NOMINATIONS.

Mr. BOWMAN, of Monroe County, moved the nomination of ALLEN C. BEACH for Lieutenant-Governor by acclamation. He sustained his motion with a brief speech. He said the Democracy of the interior could elect HOFFMAN and BEACH without the aid of New-York City.

Mr. FAULKNER, of Livingston County, seconded the nomination with a glowing speech, and the nomination was made by acclamation.

A. OAKEY HALL rose, and was greeted with cheers. He then proceeded to address the Convention in support of the nominations already made, and concluded by nominating for Controller ASHER P. NICHOLS, of Erie County. DELOS DE WOLF seconded, and the nomination was made by acclamation. Mr. NELSON, of Rockland County, nominated JOHN D. FAY for Canal Commissioner, long term. Mr. BOWMAN, of Monroe County, seconded the motion and it was carried. J. D. FURMAN nominated for Canal Commissioner, short term, GEO. W. CHAPMAN, of Saratoga. The nomination was made by acclamation. MAGNUS GROSS nominated for State Prison Inspector SOLOMON SCHEU. This nomination was also made by acclamation.

THE STATE COMMITTEE.

Mr. TILDEN moved the State Committee, to be reported by the delegates, to consist of two members from each Judicial District, and five members from the State at large; carried. The following were named delegates at large: S. J. TILDEN, J. WARREN, DELOS DE WOLF, GEO. K. MAGEE, and ELMER P. ROSS. District Delegates:

First—Peter B. Sweeny and Charles Garnet.
Second—James W. Nelson and W. J. Fowler.
Third—Wm. Cassidy and Isaac McOmiber.
Fourth—Isaiah Blood and Wm. Javarill.
Fifth—G. A. Dayton and James F. Hoskin.
Sixth—W. W. Gordon and Stephen T. Arnot.
Seventh—Charles C. B. Walker and George W. Cuyler.
Eighth—James Jackson and Henry A. Richmond.

The Convention then adjourned.

Protest of the Young Democracy—They Arraign the Tammany Organization—It is a Secret Society, and Does Not Represent the Party—Democracy a Byword and Reproach.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 21.—It appears that on Tuesday HENRY L. CLINTON, Chairman of the Young Democracy Delegation from New-York, called on Mr. TILDEN and requested tickets for entrance to the Convention, and was informed that the arrangements for admission were not yet completed. This morning, when tickets were given out, Mr. CLINTON made application again, but was told by Mr. TILDEN he could give him tickets for his friends to enter the room as spectators. Mr. CLINTON told him that unless they could be admitted as contesting delegates he did not want the tickets. Mr. CLINTON then handed the list of delegates to a member from Queens to present, and it was rejected, as already stated in the proceedings. This afternoon the following protest was sent to the officers of the Convention, but no notice whatever was taken of it:

To the President and members of the Democratic State Convention, Rochester, N. Y.:

The undersigned, who have been duly elected as delegates from the various Assembly Districts of the City of New-York, to the Democratic Convention, at Rochester, in pursuance of the call of the State Central Committee, and in the manner designated by the regular and only Democratic General Committee, in the City of New-York, hereby respectfully but earnestly protest against the admission to this Convention of the so-called Tammany Hall delegation instead of the undersigned. The so-called Tammany Hall delegation does not in any sense represent the Democratic Party of the City of New-York; neither does it represent the Tammany Hall Democracy, nor any considerable portion of it. It represents merely an order known as the Tammany Society or Columbian Order—a secret society composed of members, many of them Republican, elected for life and residing in all parts of the United States. In March last, Hon. WILLIAM M. TWEED, Chairman of the Tammany Hall General Committee, caused to be published the following call for a meeting of that body:

NOTICE.—A special meeting of the members of the General Committee of Tammany Hall will be held at Tammany Hall on Monday evening, the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock.

(Signed,) WILLIAM M. TWEED, Chairman.
WM. HITCHMAN and JOHN HOUGHTALING, Secretaries.

The object of this meeting was to discuss measures then pending before the Legislature, with reference to the City of New-York. A majority of the Committee disapproved of the action of Mr. TWEED in the Senate in reference to those measures. The meeting of the Committee on this occasion was prevented by a resort to Police force, about 300 policemen having for this purpose been stationed in and around Tammany Hall. Ten members of the General Committee were Sachems of the Tammany Society, which Society owned the building known as Tammany Hall, and in this way prevented the Committee from assembling. They issued an address upon the subject, from which the following is an extract:

Warned, A call for a meeting of the General Committee, to be held at Tammany Hall, this evening, has been issued, having for its ostensible object the consideration of measures pending before the Legislature. In this City, but it has transpired that the movement has for its real object to still further foment the disturbances in the party which they have commenced, and threats of personal violence are made against members of the Committee.

Resolved, That the use of the hall for any meeting be withheld until the further action of the Council, and that a committee of five Sachems be appointed to take such steps as will secure the rights of Democracy to the Democracy of the City of New-York, and a consolidated General Committee of their representatives.

The following Committee was appointed for the purpose stated: Sachems R. R. HART, S. B. GARVIN, M. T. SCHOLLO, NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., and JAMES E. RICHOLSON, all of whom were at that time, and still are, office-holders. The pretense that violence would probably ensue if the Committee met, was without the slightest foundation. Upon this point it is sufficient to cite the testimony of Mr. TWEED himself. The General Committee was at that time composed of 250 members. By the resolution of the officers of this Committee, who happened to be 8 sachems of the Tammany Society, set the Committee at defiance, and ordered new elections in the wards represented by the members who differed from these Sachems in regard to legislative measures affecting the City of New-York, and have in this way, until the present time, contended in the possession of the building known as Tammany Hall.

The Democratic Party of the City of New-York deny the right of the Tammany Society to supervise and control the General Committee. The Democratic elected men to represent them on a General Committee, and not before this secret order. Since this protest was sent in, the Democracy, a new General Committee has been elected in the City of New-York, representing the Democratic Party generally, including rank and file of the Tammany Hall. The undersigned have been elected as delegates to the State Convention, in the manner designated by this the regular and only Democratic Committee in the City of New-York. Unless, therefore, the principle is to be established that the people have no right to be represented in the State Convention, it is clear and unquestionable that the Democrats of the City of New-York have a right to be represented in this Convention by the undersigned, to the exclusion of members and representatives of a self-constituted oligarchy, having no other constituency than a secret society in the election of whose members and officers the Democracy have no choice. Those who thus demed to the Democrats the right to be heard through their General Committee, in the building known as Tammany Hall, subsequently secured the passage of various bills in the Legislature, which have deprived the people of the City of New-York of the very few municipal rights reserved to them by Republican legislation. The course pursued by these men for years has brought disgrace and humiliation upon the Democratic Party, and made the very name "Democracy" a byword and reproach throughout the entire Union. If the constituents represented by the undersigned can have no hearing in a Democratic State Convention, they will be heard at the polls, and will there exhibit such strength and power that future Democratic Conventions will welcome them with open arms to their rightful representation.

Signed by HENRY L. CLINTON, Chairman, and all the delegates.

Gov. Hoffman Serenaded at Albany—He Makes a Speech.

ALBANY, Sept. 21.—The Jacksonian Guards, under Capt. JAMES MCFARLANE, serenaded Gov. HOFFMAN this evening. The nominations were received with enthusiasm seldom witnessed here. In response to repeated calls the Governor said:

Thanks, my friends, sincere thanks, for this prompt and hearty ratification by you of the action of the Rochester Convention today. [Applause.] I learn that its proceedings were marked by the greatest enthusiasm and the most perfect unity. No warring factions, no clashing interests, no personal aspirations, no individual jealousies marred the harmony of its deliberations. It came from the people, represented the people, and has spoken for the people, and in

WAR NEWS BY MAIL.

ARRIVAL OF THE CUNARD STEAM-SHIP CHINA.

The steam-ship *China*, from Liverpool Sept. 9, and Queenstown Sept. 10, reached this port yesterday. Her news is later by two days than that at hand by the *City of Brussels*, and by one day than that gotten by the *Ville de Paris*.

THE VICTORY AT SEDAN.

King William's Personal Dispatch to Queen Augusta in Relation to the Struggle and the Triumph.

We are indebted to the Manchester *Guardian* for the following full telegram of the dispatch sent by the King of Prussia to Queen AUGUSTA:

VENDRESSE, SOUTH OF SEDAN, Sept. 3.

To Queen Augusta, in Berlin:

You will have learned through my three telegrams the whole extent of the great historical event which has just taken place. It is like a dream, even when one has seen it unroll itself hour by hour; but, when I consider that after one great successful war, I could not expect anything more glorious during my reign, and that I now see this act follow, destined to be famous in the history of the world, I bow before God, who alone has chosen my army and allies to carry it into execution, and has chosen us as the instruments of His will. It is only in this sense that I can conceive this work, and in all humility praise God's guidance and grace. I will now give you a picture of the battle and its results in a compressed form. On the evening of the 31st and the morning of the 1st the army had reached its appointed positions round Sedan. The Bavarians held the left wing, near Bazeilles, on the Meuse; next them the Saxons, toward Moncelle and Daigny; the Guards still marching toward Givonne, the Fifth and Eleventh Corps toward St. Menges and Fleigneux. As the Meuse here makes a sharp bend, no corps had been posted north of Sedan; and the Bavarians had to lay the latter place there, they were Wurtembergers, who covered the rear against sallies from Mézières. Count STOLBERG's cavalry division was in the plain of Donchery as right wing; the rest of the Bavarians were in the front toward Sedan. Notwithstanding a thick fog, the battle began at Bazeilles early in the morning, and a sharp action developed itself by degrees, in which it was necessary to take house by house. It lasted nearly all day, and SCHOELER's Erfurt division (reserved Fourth Corps) was obliged to assist. It was at 8 o'clock, when I reached the front before Sedan, that the great battle commenced. A hot artillery action now began on both sides. It lasted for hours, and during it we gradually gained ground. As the above-named villages were taken, very deep and wooded ravines made the advance of the infantry more difficult and favored the defense. The villages of Selg and Floing were taken, and the fiery circle drawn gradually closer round Sedan. It was a grand sight from our position on a commanding height behind the above-mentioned battery, when we looked to the front beyond St. Torcy. The violent resistance of the enemy began to slacken by degrees, which we could see by the broken battalions that were hurriedly retreating from the woods and villages. The cavalry endeavored to attack several battalions of our Fifth Corps, and the latter behaved admirably. The cavalry galloped through the interval between the battalions, and then returned the same way. This was repeated three times, so that the ground was covered with corpses and horses, all of which we could see very well from our position. I have not been able to learn the number of this brave regiment, as the retreat of the enemy was in many places a flight. The infantry, cavalry and artillery rushed in a crowd into the town and its immediate environs, but no sign was given that the enemy contemplated extricating himself from his desperate situation by capitulation. No other course was left him to bombard the town with the heavy battery. In twenty minutes the town was burning in several places, which, with the numerous burning villages over the whole field, produced a terrible impression. I, accordingly, ordered the firing to cease, and sent Lieut.-Col. VON BROUSSART, of the General Staff, with a flag of truce, to demand the capitulation of the army and the fortress. He was met by a Bavarian officer, who reported to me that a French *parlementaire* had announced himself at the gate. Col. VON BROUSSART was admitted, and on his asking for the Commander-in-Chief, he was unexpectedly introduced into the presence of the Emperor, who wished to give him a letter for myself. When the Emperor asked what his message was, and received the answer "to demand the surrender of the army and fortress," he replied that on this subject he must apply to Gen. DE WIMPFFEN, who had undertaken the command in the place of the wounded Gen. MCMAHON, and that he would now send his Adjutant-General, REILLE, with the letter to myself.

It was 7 o'clock when REILLE and BROUSSART came to me, the latter a little in advance; and it was first through him that I learned with certainty the presence of the Emperor. You may imagine the impression which this made upon all of us, but particularly on myself. REILLE sprang from his horse and gave me the letter of the Emperor, adding that he had no other orders. Before I opened the letter I said to him, "But I demand, as the first condition, that the army lay down its arms." The letter begins thus: "N'ayant pas pu mourir à la tête de mes troupes, je dépose mon épée à votre Majesté," leaving all the rest to me. My answer was that I deplored the situation of our meeting and begged that a plenipotentiary might be sent with whom we might conclude the capitulation. After I had given the letter to Gen. REILLE I spoke a few words with him as an old acquaintance, and so this act ended. I gave MOLTKE powers to negotiate, and directed BISMARCK to remain behind to settle political questions should arise. I then rode to my carriage and drove here, greeted everywhere along the road with the loud hurrahs of the trains that were marching up and singing the National Hymn. It was deeply touching. Candles were lighted everywhere, so that we were driven through an improvised illumination. I arrived here at 11 o'clock, and drank with those about me to the prosperity of an army which Heaven accomplished such fortune. As on the morning of the 2d I had received no news from MOLTKE respecting negotiations for the capitulation which were to take place in Donchery, I drove to the battle field, according to agreement, at 6 o'clock, and met MOLTKE, who was coming to obtain my consent to the proposed capitulation. He told me at the same time that the Emperor had left Sedan at 5 o'clock in the morning, and had come to Donchery, as he wished to speak with me. There was a chateau and park in the neighborhood, and I chose that place for our meeting. At 10 o'clock I rode to the height before Sedan. MOLTKE and BISMARCK appeared at 12 o'clock, with the capitulation duly signed. At 1 o'clock I started again with FRITZ, (the Crown Prince,) and escorted by the cavalry and the Staff, I alighted before the chateau where the Emperor came to meet me. The visit lasted a quarter of an hour. We were both much moved at seeing each other again under such circumstances. What my feelings were—I had seen NAPOLEON only three years before at the summit of his power—is more than I can describe. After this meeting, from 2½ to 3½ o'clock, I rode past the whole army before Sedan. The reception was given by the troops, the meeting with the Guards, now destroyed, all these are things which I cannot describe today. I was much touched by so many proofs of love and devotion. Now, farewell. A heart deeply moved at the conclusion of such a letter.

I am WILHELM.

BELEAGUERED STRASBOURG.

Additional Extracts from Berthold Auerbach's Diary.

The following are extracts from a diary of the siege of Strasbourg, kept by BERTHOLD AUERBACH, a portion of which has been already printed in the TIMES:

BEFORE STRASBOURG, Aug. 28.

Another Sunday and no peal of bells. I went to church. Few men, but many women were present. They all wore a costume exactly similar to that of the Baden Oberland; their head-dress a broad cap of black network, here called *buschen*. Women's head-dress always disappears the last in any change of the people's costume. I sat aloft, beside the organ. Below me were seated a row of soldiers, mostly Landwehr, with hymn-books in their hands. At the first note of the organ a peasant close by me began to weep bitterly. I wished to look over his hymn-book; he handed it to me, motioning that I should keep it alone. He pressed his lips together, weeping incessantly, and drying his tears with an old red spotted handkerchief. How long have we been absorbed in the contemplation of individual existences! Now everything canvass before one's eyes in masses, even misery. But such a strong man weeping solitary! * * * Soon after the opening prayer of the minister, who, in full-toned accents, prayed for peace, a soldier stepped into the aisle, between the women's seats, and beckoned to the soldiers. They rose up, and bowing down their helmets, uttered a silent prayer; then they quitted the church.

As the preacher, in the introductory portion of his sermon, spoke of the miseries of the past week, the women broke out into sobbing and crying, so that scarcely a word could be heard, while without, the dull report of the cannonade was audible. The war cumbers itself neither with the storms of heaven nor the Sundays of the calendar. It preaches hard while the cannon thunders, and what does it utter to compose one's spirit amid such measureless affection? Two Powers contend in history, humanity and rude brute force; in this last is only organized in war. We all, who, one here, the other there, strive for the predominance of mind, (geist,) stand powerless, and what is worse, despairing of the power of mind. Must rude force forever decide? The French Government has given attached the hymn-books; all have printed upon the back of the title-page, in red letters, "Confession d' Augsbourg," and the inscription, "Directoire du Consistoire-Général." Hymn-book and Lutheran Bible still continue two fountains of Germanism unbreakable by any statecraft.

I do not think that I shall stay here long, in order to see the destruction of Strasbourg. Let me, therefore, here speak out a few remarks and wishes. Beyond all anticipation, peculiar difficulties inherent to this war have been obviated in a manner no one could have expected. Alsace must again become German, our stolen possession be again brought home, and the frontier so arranged that we need no longer live in continued fear of war. How that may be effected let diplomatists settle. But we must learn to rightly understand the people of Alsace. If in no fault of theirs—the blame is ours that for nearly 200 years they have been estranged from us. They have a right to expect that their peculiarities shall be handled not only justly, but also kindly, and with special circumspection. The reproach that they threw themselves away to strangers does not smite them; the wrong it is intended to turn aside is centuries from the Fatherland, the opposition to the foreigner gradually weakened at a time when the Fatherland was itself so inwardly distracted and divided. All foreign dominion works corruptingly. First, sharp antagonism grows faint; resistance becomes less unyielding, some natures come to regard apostasy as emancipation. Men persuade themselves that singularity denotes ill-breeding, and search out the excellencies of the foreigner. The residuum of self-respect which remains, the final sanctuary of individualism seek sophistically to pervert itself, to transform what would otherwise be an intolerable yoke into a matter of free, spontaneous choice. The Alsatians said themselves the French are probably the best, inasmuch as they are the most powerful, and, moreover, they have ever been the most distinguished up to the present day. The Alsatians, who only speak German in its dialect, appeared to themselves more imperfect when they compared themselves in French. And in the Fatherland was it not also the same? Is it, for instance, probable that an English or French woman would allow herself to boast, "I read nothing in my mother tongue only here and there," as was so frequently the case with us in Germany?

I have learnt to know the Alsatians by a long residence in Strasbourg and Saverne, and again in these days, in the midst of that excitement which brings out the traits of character. There is—what is an important consideration—still a strong German imprint, as yet unweakened. Politically, they have turned Franceward, not only owing to its former renown, but, at the present time, through the conviction of full equality of all posts of honor being thrown open alike to all. This the new Empire has not meddled with, nevertheless, they have been fully aware of and despites his vile administration. This must be borne in mind in reunifing with Germany. In their long estrangement from their own natural bias the Alsatians have done injury to their souls. In various ways, and in various degrees, and, in a two-fold sense, denote as double-tongueness. Their nature, installed between two hostile yet incorporate forces—German and French, of which the latter had the upper hand—must have experienced injury and inward unsettlement. All, again, reunifing with Germany is not merely a political act, but, in a certain sense, a moral rehabilitation.

How hostile has been the policy toward Germany let one instance declare. In school, teachers were allowed to speak no word of German to the children under penalty of imprisonment, and the children were forbidden to converse in the streets in German. Corporal punishments are forbidden. When does now the teacher in the village? He becomes inventive. A child who speaks a word of German in the school must carry about a board attached to a cord wherever he goes or stands, until he finds another child speaking German in the street, to whom it is transferred. What I am relating is a well-known fact in this village, and took place until our entrance.

I did not turn out last night to witness the bombardment, as I hear it is not carried on during the night purely from strategetic considerations, but also because it creates greater alarm. Such might add in constituting a surrender. The art of war wells itself seems of psychology; wherever it can be made serviceable. In the heavens a great red glow again extended far and wide.

Aug. 30.—The last night was an ardnous one. We knew they were hard at work on the third parallel; 4,000 men were employed digging in the trenches as soon as darkness set in; at midnight they were relieved by 4,000 others. We were prepared for heavy losses, and everything put in order for the reception of the wounded. The most perilous work of the siege was to be accomplished—an earth wall required throwing up without there being any protection beyond that of the gabions, and the trenchers had to lay their weapons beside them, our cannon giving them no covering. I am told that the usage of the besieged in such case is to fire briskly and to make sallies, but now we learn that the besieged neither fired nor made a sally, and our most difficult and efficacious labor is happily completed. It may be said to have arrived at the fifth act of the drama, which is usually wont to be very bloody, if only correctly played out. When the glacis is crowned and the erection of the breaching batteries is completed, then will the fortress have to surrender, and that may in all probability occur in the course of a few days.

LIBERATED FRANCE.

Victor Hugo on the Great Change.

The first number of the Paris *Rappel*, on its reappearance after three weeks of suspense, prints, under the heading "La Débâcle," a fragment of rhetorical and prophetical denunciation against the Empire at once so characteristic of its author and so admirable in its fiery volubility and indignant imagery that at the present moment our readers may, perhaps, thank us for its reproduction:

"There will be an awakening! Thanks to the suppression of the right of public meeting, thanks to the suppression of the Press, thanks to the suppression of free speech of liberty, and of truth—surpperstions of which the results have been to permit anything and everything to M. BONAPARTE, but which have had also the effect of stamping with nullity all his acts, without exception—thanks, we say, to this stifling of all remonstrance and all exposure, no thing, no man, no fact, wears its true likeness, nor bears its true name. M. BONAPARTE's crime is not called crime, it is called necessity; M. BONAPARTE's highway robbery is not highway robbery, it is called defense of order; M. BONAPARTE's thefts are not thefts, they are called measures of State; M. BONAPARTE's murders are not murders, they are called public safety; M. BONAPARTE's accomplices are not accomplices, they are called magistrates, senators, and councilors of State; M. BONAPARTE's adversaries are not soldiers of law and justice, they are called agrarian butchers, demagogues, and spoliators. In the eyes of France, in the eyes of Europe, the 2d of December is still masked. What I write is nothing else than a hand put forth from the darkness to pluck off its mask.

Come, we are going to expose the triumph of order; we are going to depict this vigorous, settled, stable Government, which has on its side a mob of paltry fellows with more ambition than shoes, handsome dandies and hideous beggars; supported at the Bourse by FOULD, the Jew, and on the Church by MONTALEMBERT, the Catholic; surrounded by women who impure to the stews, and men who aspire to the prefecture; composed of a coalition of prostitutions; giving galas; making cardinals; wearing white ties, gloved in lemon-color, like MORNY; blacked as bright as MAUPAS; new brushed like PERSIGNY—rich, elegant, smart, gilded, brushed, gay, born in a swamp of blood. Who would have dared to expose her in the dark and whose bed she has shared. Then the last hour will strike.

The skeptic smiles and insists, saying, 'Have no hope. This Government, according to you, is the disgrace of France. Granted; this disgrace has friends at the Bourse. Have no hope. You are a Pindar and dreamer. If you have hope. Only look—public meetings, intelligence, free speech, thought, all that was liberty, has vanished. Yesterday it all moved, stirred, lived; today it is petrified. Well, folks are content; they put up with the petrification, they make the best of it, they get a profit out of it, they live on the top of it, just as usual. Society goes on, and prosper. Honest people like it. Why do you want this situation to change? Why do you want this situation to end? Don't deceive yourself; this is solid, this is stable, this is the present and the future.'

We are in Russia. The Neva is frozen. Iron houses are building, heavy carriages rolling on the back. It is no longer water, it is rock. Passengers come and go on that marble which was a river. A town springs up; streets are planned, shops opened. They sell, buy, drink, eat, sleep; they light fires on that water. They can vaunt anything and everything. Have no fear; do whatever you please—laugh, dance, the firm ground is not as solid. Truly it rings beneath the rock-like granite. Hurrah for Winter! hurrah for the Czar! we have them set in for all eternity. And look at the sky—is it day, is it night? A wan and sickly light trails along the snow; it looks as though the sun were dying.

'No, thou shalt not die, Liberty! One of these days, at the moment when it is least dreamt of, at the very hour when thou shalt have been most profoundly forgotten, thou shalt arise, O splendor. On a sudden we shall see that day-star, thy face, rise from the ground and flame at the horizon. Upon all that snow, upon all that ice, upon that hard white plain, upon that water turned to stone, upon all that monstrous Winter, thou shalt launch thy golden arrow, thy burning and shining radiance—heat, life, light! And, then, listen! Hear ye that sullen noise? hear ye that deep and formidable cracking groan? It is the breaking up; it is the Neva crumbling; it is the river resuming its course; it is the living water, joyous and terrible, as its waves and breaks the dead and hideous ice. It was granite, you said; see, it melts like glass. It is the breaking up; I tell you it is truth coming back; it is progress beginning again; it is humanity putting itself once more on the march, and sweeping up, wearing down, hurrying, hustling, mingling, and drowning in its waves, like the wretched, paltry furniture of a hovel, not only the brand-new Empire of LOUIS BONAPARTE, but all the constructions and all the works of the old everlasting despotism. See it all go by! It is vanishing forever. You will never set eye on it again. That book, half sunk, is the old code of injustice; that wood-work going under, the [illegible] other disappearing, the scaffold!

And for this prodigious foundering—this submerging—this disappearance—what was decided? 'One chance of thing. O Rhin; one ray of hope. O Liberty!'"

AMERICAN SYMPATHY AMONG THE EUROPEANS.

Opinions of the Foreign Journals.

Le Soir remarks: "If England renounces all interference in Continental affairs; if the Prussian sword is to be the terror of Sweden, Denmark, Belgium, Austria, Italy and Spain, BISMARCK may decide the fate of Constantinople at his leisure, and seat a little HOHENZOLLERN upon the throne of the Sultans. What does Russia think of this? Is she waiting until she be left *tête-à-tête* with Prussia to draw her sword? Were it not a hundred times preferable to rally the struggling caprices of Europe, and oppose Teutonic brutality with a *fusee* of nations? The Russian Government will not say that their principles forbid them to afford a Republican state support. Russia has made important progress under her present reign. Has she a more trusty ally than the American Republic? Then America is perfidious, of necessity, for us. Not only because we have chased off the yoke of the Empire but, above all, because the great Confederation of the West is now ripe for interference in our affairs, and for mixing with the current of European civilization.

The Monroe doctrine has served its purpose, but it is now beneath the level of actual circumstances. It is no longer meet of the whole American Continent, and to isolate the young and powerful Republic in the ocean with a wall of China. The citizens of free America are the most manly people of today, the most active, and the richest. Considered as agriculturists, manufacturers, merchants and navigators, they are at least our equals. They form a population equal in number to the largest European States. Russia excepted. Their interests and ours become daily more united. None would be so foolish as to close upon them the door of European congress, from which they are only self-excluded. Let their absence cease. Let them claim their right. Never will a more favorable or honorable occasion present itself. Whoever brings peace in one hand, and succor to freedom in the other, will be welcome in Europe!"

FRANCE'S SOLDIERS.

A Defense of Gen. de Failly—Negligence Common in the French Army—Troops Stopped to Give a Ball.

One of the correspondents of the *Times* writes from Vendresse on the 6th of September:

"I do not know why Gen. DE FAILLY should be specially blamed for the negligence of which one of his divisional Generals was really guilty. Gen. BUYOT DE L'EAPEE commanded at Beaumont, and it was he who omitted to place outposts and to send out scouts, so confident was he that the Prussians were nowhere near him. The French have been twice surprised during the past week—at Beaumont, by the army of the Crown Prince of Saxony; at Sedan, when they knew that they would have the army of the Crown Prince of Saxony to deal with on one side, by the sudden appearance of the army of the Crown Prince of Prussia on the other. When the Prussians, passing through a wood, fell upon the division of Gen. BUYOT DE L'EPEE, attacking it with artillery from the heights behind the wood, with infantry from the wood itself, an inspection of arms was going on in the French camp. Another version of the same story is that soup was being served out, another that the soldiers were making their coffee. But if the French troops had been taking any sort of meal on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 30, I should probably have seen some traces of it when I visited the ground early the next morning. The serving-out of soup or coffee is a more effective detail—funny a man being killed in the very act of satisfying hunger; but what was going on in the French camp when the Bavarians broke in upon it was an inspection of arms. The only French corps engaged on Tuesday, the 30th, throughout the day was that of DE FAILLY; but, as the bulk of MCMAHON's army heard the firing from Douzy, it seems improbable that no supports were sent to the assistance of DE FAILLY. Douzy is was a division, or rather two divisions, sent in support of DE FAILLY which the First Bavarian Army Corps attacked and drove before it at about 6, and from 6 to 6 o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, Aug. 30. It is of no use blaming Gen. DE FAILLY in particular. He is only one of many. The proceedings of MCMAHON himself, and of all the principal commanders under him, had for some time before the great disaster been marked by simple fatuity. Destined to be destroyed, they certainly went mad beforehand. On leaving the camp of Chalons to effect the much-talked-of junction with Marshal BAZAINE, who, by some means or other, was certainly informed of the plan conceived for his liberation, it does not seem to have occurred to MCMAHON that the Prussians would follow him. Not one only, but a dozen French officers, speaking on this subject, have said to me, 'How were we so to know? We thought the King and the Crown Prince were marching on Paris.' So they were. The King's headquarters moved on Saturday, the 27th of August, from Bar le Duc to Révigny, which was still in the direction of Chalons. But on Sunday they moved northward to Clermont; MCMAHON was being followed without doubt, and the suspicion of the fact. On Monday they were at Grand Pré, on Tuesday at Buzancy, taking possession of camps in the neighborhood which the French had just quitted, and on Tuesday, early in the afternoon, the Bavarians of the army, commanded by the Crown Prince of Saxony, were just on the back of the wood which skirts the road running from the Buzancy to Bésnes road to Beaumont. Prussian and Saxon troops were on the right of the town, ready to turn the right—soon, on the attack being made, to become the left—of DE FAILLY's corps; and all the armies which ultimately crushed the French at Sedan were just in the act of crossing them at this moment, and already held them in the palm of their hand. MCMAHON, however, still neglected to take the most ordinary precautions, and if DE FAILLY and his Generals were negligent at Beaumont, DUCROC and others were almost criminal at Douzy, where, instead of hurrying on to Carignan, whence they were to have marched to Montmédy, and ultimately to Commeddy to Metz, they actually stopped to give a ball.

'What could possibly make you give a ball at such a moment as that?' I said to a Colonel of Gen. DUCROC's corps, who had excited my astonishment by telling me what is now a notorious fact. 'We gave a ball,' he answered, 'because a number of young ladies had come to see us from Sedan.' To such reasoning as that there is, of course, no reply."

THE FALLEN DYNASTY.

How the Empress Escaped.

A correspondent of the *Telegraph*, who signs himself "Voyageur," and dates from the Carlton Club, says:

"So far as I have been able to see, the accounts of the Empress' escape from the revolutionized capital on Sunday, which have been published in this country, are imperfect and inaccurate. I have just returned from Paris, where I had specially opportunities for observing the stirring events of Sunday, Sept. 4, and I give you what I know to be the true story of Her Majesty's escape. The deposition of the Napoleon dynasty was voted in the Corps Legislatif about 1 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. At 2 o'clock M. PIETRI—then Prefect of Police—rushed breathlessly into the Empress' apartments at the Tuileries with the startling announcement and warning: 'The *déchéance* has been declared. I have not a moment to lose. Save your life, Madame, as I am now hastening to save my own!' Then he disappeared—and with good reason, too, for the Revolutionary Government would give something to be able to lay hands upon him now. The Empress found herself alone with her old and trusty secretary and friend, Mme. LE BRETON, and with M. FERDINAND DE LESSEPS, who both earnestly urged her to fly at once. But her high spirit made this a most unpalatable counsel. It was a cowardice—a *lâcheté*—to desert the Palace. She would rather be treated as was MARIE ANTOINETTE by the mob than seek safety in an unworthy flight. For a time all persuasion was useless; but at length Her Majesty's mood calmed somewhat, and she saw the utter uselessness of remaining. Attended only by the two companions I have named, the Empress fled through the long gallery of the Louvre; but suddenly her course was stopped short by a locked door. The little party could distinctly hear the shouts of the crowds who were invading the private gardens of the Tuileries. M. DE LESSEPS, to gain time, proposed that he should go out on the terrace and get the soldiers on guard to hold back the people for a few minutes, while, in addition, he would delay the crowd by addressing them. The resort to this expedient was not necessary. Mme. LE BRETON found the key, opened the door that had constructed their progress, and gave across to Her Majesty, who, accompanied only by her tried friend, issued into the street at the bottom of the Louvre. There they hurriedly entered a common fiacre, not without a risk of detection on the spot; for a diminutive *gamin de Paris*, not more than twelve years old, shouted 'Voilà l'Impératrice!' Luckily, no one about heard or heeded him, and the cab rode away safely with the two ladies. They drove to M. LE LESSEPS's house in the Boulevard de Malesherbes, where Mme. LE BRETON remained until she was joined by M. DE METTERNICH, who did what he could to facilitate her departure to a place of safety. Later in the evening, the Empress, still accompanied by Mme. LE BRETON, drove to the Gare du Nord, escaped all detection—thanks to the thick veil which she wore—and at 9 o'clock rolled safe and unsuspected away toward the Belgian frontier."

The Correspondence of the Imperial Family.

M. GAMBETTA has made an announcement which will excite a good deal of curiosity, and in some quarters uneasiness. It is in these terms:

"The voluminous correspondence of the Imperial family with numerous contemporary personages has been seized on the frontier, through the vigilance of the Prefect of Police. This correspondence belongs to history. The Minister of the Interior consequently appoints, as a commission, with directions to collect, classify and prepare for publication the public documents: M. DE KERATRY, President of the Senate; A. LAVASSEUR, Vice-President; E. ROMBAUD, Ex-Deputy; [illegible] and Ex-Deputy COCHAR, Ex-Deputy, of Dieppe, gives the particulars of the seizure. On Sunday morning a carter ran through the town that the Princess MATHILDE had arrived with trunks containing some said collected papers, belonging to the family of France. The length, thus by the rumbling train two persons, one wearing a decoration, had arrived with two trunks, bearing the seal of the then Minister of the Interior, M. CHEVREAU, and addressed to the French Ambassador in London. The crowd, soon informed of this, collected before the London Hotel and demanded that the trunks should be inspected. The Police came up, and asked the travelers what the trunks contained. They replied that they were full of diplomatic documents of the highest importance, which were to be sent to England lest they should fall into the hands of the Prussians. The Police Commissary, as a further security, placed his seal on them, and intrusted them to the Gardes Mobiles. The crowd dispersed for some time by the stratagem. A telegram was sent to M. CHEVREAU to ask what was to be done. His answer was that the trunks should be allowed to proceed to England. The crowd, however, opposed their removal, and invested the hotel, as it were, the whole evening, while other parcels instantly waited before the telegraph office. At length a dispatch arrived announcing the proclamation of the Republic, and this was loudly cheered. M. GAMBETTA was then telegraphed to, and he directed that the trunks should be sent back to Paris. This was done the next day, though the inhabitants would fain have first ascertained the contents. M. GAMBETTA ordered a Minister who took charge of them en route, that the trunks contained papers of the utmost delicacy, and that their detention at Dieppe was a very proper step. Subsequently two persons arrived at Dieppe with a sealed wagon, which they proposed sending off to Newhaven, and to the opening of which by the Custom-house officials they strongly objected. This was also stopped and sent back to Paris.

Napoleon at Wilhelmshoehe.

Writing from Wilhelmshoehe on Sept. 5, a Times correspondent says: "The great moment of the day is past. It was exactly half P. M. when the Imperial train arrived at the Wilhelmshoehestation. Assembled there were the staff-officers of the troops garrisoned here, who had been left behind for the organization of the troops of reserve. Foremost of them ranks Gen. VON PLONSKI, formerly General commanding the Eleventh Army Corps, but now, in consequence of his ill-health, succeeded by Gen. VON BOSE, wounded at Woerth. There was also the Chief President of the Province, Herr VON MOLLER, all wearing their official uniform, and doing all the honors to the imperial prisoner whom they had to receive. It was a solemn moment, indeed, when the drums struck up the "Zapfenstreich," when all heads resounded to that tune, which indicates the day's work done. When the train stopped the Emperor alighted, and passed in the front of the officers lining the station, while he uncovered his head and went to Gen. PLONSKI's carriage, which conveyed him to Wilhelmshoehe, ten minutes' drive off. The Emperor looked earnest but not broken down, and as far as I may judge—I was standing five paces from his carriage—his expression was quite different from that given by *Kladderadatsch*. There were no signs of an extravagant *embonpoint*, nor of that ill hue he is said to be suffering from. I am glad to confirm the opinion which I expressed before and about my fellow-countrymen; when the Imperial carriage drove off there was no sound to be heard—dead silence reigned about."

A Bismarck's Doctrine.

A Brussels correspondent of the *Pall Mall Gazette* says: "The following are the entries in the diary of a French officer who was with NAPOLEON from Paris to Libramont, and arrived the day before yesterday at Dinant: July 24, departure of the Emperor. July 25, arrived at Nancy; triumphal entry. July 26, left Nancy. July 27, Pont-à-Mousson. July 28 to Aug. 14, sojourn at Metz. Aug. 14, Longeville; battle; wounded struck head-quarters; one Colonel and ten men killed. Aug. 15, Gravelotte; battle on 16th. Aug. 16, from Longeville to Verdun, fifty-six kilometres in one day. Aug. 17 to 20, Chalons. Aug. 21 to 23, Courcelles. Aug. 24 to 26, Rethel, Bethonville, Tourteron. Aug. 27, Le Chêne; cavalry engagement, ten men killed. Aug. 29, Stone; village of twenty houses; Emperor lodged in a cottage. Aug. 30, Monzon; battle; Emperor breakfasts in a farm-house; setting out in the evening; traveling all night; Carignan; arrival at Sedan at 10 o'clock A. M. Sept. 1, Sedan; engagement at 4 A. M.; bombardment of town at 9½ A. M.; bomb falls upon the bridge and bursts not far from the Emperor; Gen. DE COURSON DE VILLENEUVE thrown off his horse; Prince DE LA MOSKWA slightly wounded by the splinter of a shell; MCMAHON wounded by the splinter of a shell; the Emperor mounts his horse, saying, 'Is it serious?' 'No;' in the evening parliamentary capitulation; suspension of arms. Sept. 2, the Emperor goes to the castle of Bellevue, at six kilometres from Sedan; interview; Emperor, BISMARCK, and Prince Royal; the King of Prussia arrives later and remains only five minutes; the Emperor engages only his person, he constructs himself prisoner, and spends the night at Bellevue. Sept. 3, departure from Bellevue at 6½ o'clock; the Emperor defiles with his suite before the front of the Prussian Army, after having made the tour of Sedan; under pretext of being blocked by cars, stoppage in every village; there, before the Emperor, pass the insignorts of the French artillery. What humiliation! Sept. 4, arrival at Bouillon. It appears to me that we are made to defile twice before the same soldiers. Sept. 4, departure from Bouillon at 6½ o'clock. At 10 o'clock A. M., arrival at Libramont. The Emperor sees the Belgian cannon, and asks to have their mechanism explained to him, the same as that of the Belgian rifle. His physiognomy betrays no emotion. We leave the Emperor to go tomorrow to Haina, and from thence to Dinant. Sept. 6, at 10 o'clock, arrived at Dinant. Good reception."

CORRESPONDENTS' PERILS.

George Augustus Sala Arrested as a Spy—His Experience in Bureau, in Paris.

From the Daily Telegraph.

I was denounced at the Café du Helder on Saturday night, by two persons totally unknown to me, as a "Prussian spy," and taken to the guard-house of the Rue de Richelieu. Unfortunately I had left my "papers" for safety's sake in the bureau of my room at the Grand Hotel; but my application to be allowed to send a messenger for them was refused. At the guard-house, however, I was treated with some degree of civility by the soldiers on duty; but at about 5 o'clock in the morning, a squad of sergents de ville came, and dragged me violently through the streets to the Central posts of the Boulevard Bonne Nouvelle. I was assailed by the Police with cries of 'Espion Prussien,' 'Brigand Prussien,' and the like, and was thrust into a horrible dungeon, which, at the most, perhaps, would have accommodated six persons standing upright. In this abominable den, however, no less than seventeen persons were crammed; and the number, by 7 o'clock, was increased to twenty-two. This Cave of Despair was lit by one small circular orifice high up in the wall, heavily grated, and communicating not with the open air, but with a lobby. Two boys in blouses had contrived, by bolstering themselves on the shoulders of their elders, to hang out to the bars of the window, whence they shrieked unremittingly for air and water. A broken-down looking old man by my side, in a white blouse, and whose only offense, he said, was that of selling tapers in the streets without a police permit, had been in this Inferno, he told me, for thirty-six hours without one scrap of food; and at intervals, when the door of the dungeon was opened to admit fresh prisoners, the sergents de ville mocked him by putting down his name as being "*sans pain*," but breakfast him none. For the rest, my companions in captivity were Germans accused of crimes of violence, thieves and vagabonds of the very lowest description. The heat of the place is suffocating, the stench insupportable, the filth dimply Malebolgian; and consequently, in common language, indescribable. I fainted away, but no efforts were made to succor me. On the contrary, when I recovered consciousness under the impetus of a kick from a wooden shoe which has cut a triangular piece out of one of my ankles—I found that I had been thrust under the long wooden bench running along one side of the cell, and that my pockets had been carefully turned out. Then commenced a series of outrages which I shall not forget until my dying day, which I shudder to remember, and which I cannot record. I lay huddled in a heap on the filthy floor of the cell, under the bench, the perfectly helpless victim of the ruffians who were wedged together about me, and who, unable perhaps to get full purchase for their arms to strike me, satisfied their savagery by spurning me with their feet. I did not receive one actual blow, but in throwing up my left arm to screen my face, one cannibal bit me severely on the back of the hand. The rest was merely a system of stampings and spurnings, bruising the whole of my left side fearfully; but I cannot but feel grateful that I was under the bench. At 8 o'clock six of the most notable ruffians were taken away to Mazas, and the live boys were removed, as I understood, to La Roquette; but the sergents de ville contemptuously refused to listen to my complaints or to my entreaties to be allowed to send a messenger to my hotel. Some more prisoners were removed at 9 o'clock. The residue of my companions were merely vagabonds and beggars, some pitiably young, and others as pitiably old. It was fully 10 o'clock when I was summoned, and I was the last animal taken out of this den of wild beasts. I was given over to a fresh squad of sergents de ville, and marched again, through many streets, to a large stone hall, full of sergents de ville—at least 150 of them—who were lounging on benches, or going and coming, shouting out numbers, handling slips of paper, wrangling with each other and smoking short pipes—all, I suppose, in a perfectly official, but, as it seemed to me, bedlamite fashion. And now the Brigadier commanding the squad which had brought me from the Poste de la Porte-Nouvelle, coming into something like a friendly converse, told me that there must be some mistake about my arrest, for neither the sergents who had originally apprehended me, nor persons who had consumed his as a spy, had seen any "papers" in my possession. Somewhat thoughtlessly, I had put on my best clothes, and had presented a respectable appearance. In this disguise I took in a species of iron cage. My money, pocket-book, papers, trinkets and cigars, which had been restored to me—with the exception of the pocket-book and papers—at the office of the Commissary of the Police, were then taken away from me; but, to my surprise, the jailer called me a few minutes afterward into a private office, and restored to me every one of the objects of which I had been deprived, telling me that I was to be put *à la petole*, which means solitary confinement, but with the privilege of purchasing your own provisions. I was taken into another hall, lined on three of its sides with three tiers of numbered cells, with the usual iron bridges, balconies and staircases. It was an exceedingly dirty edition of a vast gaze. Then I was made to enter a room, where the order for my arrest or incarceration as a spy was registered, and a cell assigned to me. After this, carrying a small black board, on which "135" was written in white characters, I was conducted across the hall, and made to toe a line with a number of other prisoners, twin brothers, so I thought shudderingly, to ruffians of the Poste Bonne-Nouvelle. My companionship with them was fortunately to be but momentary. We were merely ranged to receive the hospitality of the house in the shape of a lump a piece, weighing not less than a pound and a half, of bread. I was then marched upstairs to cell No. 126, and the warder brought me a light for a cigar, and, leaving on the table beside my bed, my own well *culotted* pipe, listened to my story. Afterward brought me pens, ink and paper, and under his advice, I wrote a formal letter to Lord LYONS—in French, as it would have to be read by the director of the prison—explaining my position. I had scarcely dispatched this missive by one of the prison messengers, and had lain down on my truckle bed, fully resigned to wait at least three or four hours for an answer, when my cell door was again unlocked, and I was told that I was wanted down stairs by "a captain." The "captain" turned out to be one of the Secretaries of the British Embassy who had been dispatched by Lord LYONS the moment he had received the card I had sent from the cell at least three or four hours. The bail at once was granted by the prefect, M. PIETRI, who, two hours afterward, was turned out of office, and warrants for whose apprehension have since been issued.

ENGLAND AND THE WAR.

Anti-Ministerial Sentiment and its Expression.

The following bitter allusion to Mr. GLADSTONE, the Prime Minister, is from the *Pall Mall Gazette*:

A FABLE.

SIR: I recollect that in my schoolboy days an eccentric lad, named CHARLES ——, enjoyed an exceedingly high reputation among his playmates. He said odd things, which we all applauded as the true wisdom of repartee. His physical force was great, so that when he bullied us we felt that we were righteously bullied. He was insubordinate; but when we heard that he had been held in check by his father or his schoolmaster, we all cried out, "Don't stand that, CHARLEY!" regarding him as the exponent of our advanced liberal principles. Our admiration lasted for several years, when it turned out that our idol was a born idiot.

Yours, &c.

EXPERIENTIA DOCET.

INDIFFERENCE OF ENGLISH MINISTERS TO THE CRISIS.

From the Times.

The Ministers, it may be, enter into the pleasure of "standing on the shore and seeing ships tossed about in a heavy sea," or of being "at ease and witnessing a battle and the adventures thereof below." To all appearance they contemplate the crash of empires and the fall of thrones with a feeling of rural security. We hear of them enjoying the sea breezes of the Channel, or staying at Highland residences, or visiting friends in the country. It would have been imagined that there was matter enough for a Cabinet Council in the news of every week. One would have supposed that men in a responsible position as such times could not have sought too many opportunities for interchanging ideas on the great events they may say day have to deal with. But they seem quite content to leave the hands of the Provisional Government of under secretaries and private secretaries. When the hour for mediation arrives, there will be only time for a brief conversation and a hurried journey to Balmoral. No one thinks it worth while to be on the spot in order to be in readiness for any contingency. Meanwhile, the country, which has l

COOLIES IN NEW-JERSEY.

Arrival of One Hundred and Fifty Chinamen at Pompton, N. J.—Three Hundred More on the War—What the Contractors Pay for their Services.

The arrival of 150 coolies in New-Jersey yesterday, is an event that excites a great deal of interest among all classes of white laborers, particularly among those who have held a monopoly of railroad labor, a field of industry that the Chinese will enter immediately. The company now on the ground is the first installment of a gang of 500 coolies to be furnished, according to contract, by Mr. KOOPMANSCHAP to Messrs. S. P. SIMPSON & CO., who are contractors for the building of a section of the Midland Railway.

In January last a Messrs. SIMPSON & CO., of Mauch Chunk, Penn., entered into a contract for the importation of these coolies for work upon their section of the road from Pompton, N. J., to Middletown, N. Y. The coolies were hired from Mr. KOOPMANSCHAP, for a term of five years, the firm of SIMPSON & CO. having contracts with several roads that would enable them to give employment to that number of men for five years. Each man receives, according to the terms of the contract, $9 per month, with rations of pork, beans and rice to the value of $9 per month, and suitable shelter. The men are to work in gangs under a native foreman, who is, of course, under the direction of SIMPSON & CO.'s superintendents.

The part of the road for the building of which the firm has the contract, is one of the most difficult of construction of any on the line, there being many deep cuts and heavy grades. A severe loss has been experienced by the employment of white labor from the New-York employment houses. When the work was difficult the men would desert their ranks, and often a foreman who had applications for working thirty or forty men would have to continue work with only fifteen men to work with. The reports from the Foreman relating to the qualities of the Chinese as railroad laborers, led to the opening of the negotiations with KOOPMANSCHAP for a large force. The latter, after arranging terms, telegraphed at once to his agent in China, ordering the coolies to be sent via the Suez Canal, so that they would be in time for the opening of work in the Spring. Unexpected delays have occurred, and they have new arrived by the overland route from San Francisco.

The temper of the Irish railroad laborers, thousands of whom are now at work in Northern New-Jersey and in New-York State, near the border, threatens some concerted action on the unoffending Chinamen. The latter are peaceably disposed, as all Chinamen are. They have come with their baggage to stay, and propose to go to work immediately under orders. Only two out of the 150 speak English. They are all dressed in the Chinese costume, with wooden shoes, loose trowsers, blue cotton blouses and hats. The Chinese baggage filled one car as they came down on the Erie Railroad, and was transferred with them to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Branch, over which they were carried to Pompton. Shanties will be at once erected and active operations will commence.

The Steam-ship Lafayette and Her Warlike Cargo.

The agent of this steam-ship makes no secret or the fact that she conveyed munitions of war to France, or that some of the arms sent by her were purchased of the United States Government. The majority were Remington breech-loaders, as stated in the TIMES yesterday. The number of men carried away by the steamer from the wharf was eighty-five.

The *Ville de Paris* arrived yesterday, and is now at her usual wharf, by the *Lafayette*. When her cargo is discharged, she will take on board the balance of the cargo left by the *Lafayette*. The French have a perfect right to purchase arms in this country, as also have Germans, and no concealment will be undertaken in their shipment. The *Ville de Paris* will sail on the last prox., which is the regular day, for Havre.

A number of those passengers who were prevented from sailing on the *Lafayette* on Tuesday, wanted upon Mr. MACKENZIE yesterday to demand a return of their passage money. They were offered transportation in the *Ville de Paris*, which they accepted. Their protestations against the indignity offered them drew forth the declaration from the agent that the suit against the Prussian Consul would be vigorously prosecuted, as that official had no right to interfere under the circumstances.

Affairs at the Custom-House—The Case of Mr. Ogden.

No new appointments have been made since those announced in the TIMES of yesterday, and there probably will be none for a few days. The Collector was closeted, yesterday, with Senator MORTON, of Indiana, and Senator CARPENTER, of Wisconsin, who were understood to be devising measures by which the election in those States, next month, could be made as nearly unanimous as possible. A meeting, having this object in view, was held at Senator MORGAN'S office, in Exchange-place, on Tuesday, at which, it is understood, large sums of money were subscribed for political purposes.

It appears that Mr. FREDERICK S. OGDEN, against whom allegations of a serious character were made, at a time when he is still engaged in the Auditor's Department at the Custom-house. It was stated, at the time the operations of this young man were exposed, that he had either resigned or would be dismissed from his position. But it appears that he has not resigned, neither has he been dismissed, though the attention of the authorities at Washington has been called to the fact of his retention in office. Among Inspectors who have made sources there is considerable anxiety manifested with respect to Mr. OGDEN, and officials in the Custom-house do not hesitate to proclaim it as a shame that he should have been permitted to have access to the books of his office for a moment after the charges were made known to the Collector.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Ingraham, P. J.—Court opens at 10 A. M.—Calendar called at 12 o'clock.

Nos. 48—Chenoweth vs. Chenoweth.
Nos. 47—Ellis vs. Bell.

The call begins at No. 52—Stokes vs. The Mayor, &c., of New-York.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Curtis, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. 2037—Ettinger vs. McKillop.
2055—Chusca vs. Duggin.
2066—Somers vs. Sarcbury.
1916—Allen vs. Davis.
1915—Warren vs. Corson.
1971—Thoughkins vs. Bates.
2067—Holsworth vs. Mesabener.
1868—Cohen vs. Bentheimsicks.
2069—Hessler vs. Anderson.
2070—Spera vs. Ehrhardt.
1884—Antzel vs. Berg.
2073—Dufley vs. Marshall.
1896—Mower vs. Nestler.
2072—Schwarz vs. Van Sachs.
2055—McFarland vs. Mittinicht.
2079—Beer vs. Bachman.
2074—Eaton vs. Foster.
2043—Emanuel vs. Lynd.

Part II.—Held by Joachimsen, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. 1797—Kleber vs. Conlter.
1936—McNulty vs. Packer.
1960—McKay Iron and Locomotive Works vs. Courtney.
1972—Jones vs. Tompkins.
1966—Hennessey vs. Board of Education.
1973—Schenkberg vs. Schenkberg.
1922—Mendell vs. Levy.
1895—Henry vs. Whyte.
2064—Lowenthal vs. Smith.
2065—Markey vs. Grube.
1937—Reeves vs. Mantel.
2066—Darmer vs. Conlter.

SUPREME COURT—KINGS COUNTY—SPECIAL TERM.

Nos. 36—Powers vs. Wheeler.
31—Sheridan vs. Andrews et al.
28—Hoyt vs. Jackson.
14—Sheridan vs. McCole.
30—Enderbi vs. Elsner.
16—Little vs. Linsky.
41—Arthur vs. Gates.
42—Stuchfield vs. David.
43—Berry vs. Brainard.
34—Levy vs. Fisher.
Nos. 67—Bayard vs. The Herchen's Ins. Co. of the United States.
62—Hatch vs. Elkins.
63—McNamee vs. Prest.
64—Nichols vs. Earnes.
64—McMaster vs. Hall.
69—McCrum vs. Hoffman.
70—Biker vs. Biker.
72—Union Car Mounting Co. of Philadelphia vs. Fosdick.
68—Whitemore vs. Whitemore.

BROOKLYN CITY COURT.

Nos. 44—Boylan vs. The Father.
33—Calley vs. Schazwald. Matthew T. A. Sorlyder.
48—Taylor vs. Campbell, Sheriff, &c.
50—Enderbi vs. Elsner.
16—Little vs. Linsky.
41—Arthur vs. Gates.
42—Stuchfield vs. David.
43—Berry vs. Brainard.
34—Levy vs. Fisher.
Nos. 65—McGovern vs. Walter, Sheriff, &c.
67—Wheeler vs. Peplen.
68—Street vs. Walter, Sheriff, &c.
69—Blake vs. Rhoden.
70—McDonald vs. Riley et al.
71—Sullivan vs. Husted.
72—Ward vs. Fent.
73—McNally vs. Tessier.
75—Gomez vs. Bachman.
69—Lyons vs. Hanley.
77—Jones vs. Gardner.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—SEPT. 21.

By Presiding Justice Ingraham.

Dechler vs. Boyd; Martin vs. Van Pelt; Solomon vs. Bown, and Hamilton vs. Wall; motions granted. Herrickes, Walker; motion denied, with $10 costs. Secor vs. Batten; motion for costs and allowance granted.

Jewett vs. Black, and Metcalfe vs. Adams Express Company; motions granted.

In the matter of the application of George W. Douglass to vacate assessment; application denied.

By Judge Gardon.

Pillott vs. Fishcraft; injunction dissolved; costs to abide event.

In the matter of the application of Jacob F. Valentine, receiver; motion granted.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

By Judge Barnard.

Griswold vs. Banks; findings settled.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—SEPT. 21.

Before Presiding Justice Ingraham.

WHERE ADJOURNMENTS WILL NOT BE VACATED FOR IRREGULARITY IN ADVERTISING NOTICE—IMPORTANT OPINION.

In the matter of the Petition of George W. Douglass to Vacate Assessment.—The petitioner in this case sought to vacate an assessment which had been imposed upon his property for the grading and paving of Sixty-fourth-street, from Third to Fifth avenue. The motion was argued some days ago, and the arguments were reported in our columns at the time.

Justice INGRAHAM, today, rendered the following opinion, in which he states all the facts which are necessary to a proper understanding of the case, and after applying the law thereto, he comes to the conclusion that the motion must be denied:

INGRAHAM, P. J.—The objection to the validity of this assessment is that the resolution and report of the Committee were not published in all the newspapers employed by the Corporation, immediately after the adjournment of the Board. The statute contains the provision that the same shall not be passed or adopted until after such notice has been published for at least two days. (Law of 1857, chap. 446.) The proceedings were not published in all the papers, and the notice was only published in the daily papers prior to the passage of the resolution. So far as the direction of the statute is to publish the proceedings in all the papers employed by the Corporation, I have no doubt that the same is to be considered directory, and that a disregard of it, from mistaken or even negligence and not intentionally, would not vitiate the proceedings. The difficulty arises from the subsequent clause in the act, which says: "All resolutions and reports of committees which shall recommend any specific improvement, laying or assessing the expense of the City," &c., "shall not be passed or adopted until after such notice has been published for at least two days." The prohibition against the passage of the resolution or report takes it out of the mere directory character of the proceedings, and makes the passage illegal within the meaning of the act, if the provisions of the statute are not complied with. It becomes necessary, therefore, to inquire what is meant by "such notice had been published at least two days." I think it plain that the statute does not require two publications. It is sufficient if two days shall elapse between the publication of the notice and the passage of the resolution. The act does not say where require "more than one publication in one paper, and the use of the word "notice" shows that the object was to give the parties to be assessed two days' notice after its publication before the adoption of the resolution. This is not confined to each Board. The adoption of the resolution precedes its passage by both Boards, and it is only necessary that two days after publication of the notice shall intervene between the introduction of the resolution and the passage by the Board of the Common Council. The resolution was introduced in the Board of Aldermen July 20, 1868. The Committee reported Aug. 24, 1868. The resolution was finally adopted Aug. 31, 1868, and passed Sept. 24, 1868. The resolution was published in the *Tribune* and *Herald* July 7, and notice of the report of the Committee on the 4th of August; notice of its reference to the Board of Common Council on the 10th, and of the report on the 24th of September. More than two days elapsed after the publication of the notice, and the necessary publication therefore took place, unless it was necessary that such publication should have been made in all the papers employed by the Corporation, to give validity to the proceedings. I do not feel willing to give such a construction to this statute, which is not called for in the literal interpretation of the act, and which would tend to render these proceedings nugatory and illegal. The words of the act only require the publication of the notice to be for two days. It does not forbid the passage of the resolution until published in all the papers, nor does it require that it should be published for two days, and the provisions of the statute can be all upheld by construing the number of papers to be merely directory, and the prohibitory portion of the act to be satisfied by the publication of the notice in some of them, for at least two days before the resolution was adopted. It is not reasonable to suppose that the Common Council should be required to examine every newspaper employed by the Corporation to see if the notices proposed to be passed have been published in every paper so employed before their passage. Such I do not think was intended by the Legislature. My conclusion is that the notice shown on the part of the petitioner sufficient to invalidate the assessment. Application denied.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Sept. 21.

FIRST BOARD.

$10,000 U. S. 6s, '81 C.	a114	170 W. U. Tel.	34¾
60,000 do.	114	120 do.	34¾
4,000 U. S. 5-20 R.	111½	100 do. bck. call	34¾
28,500 U. S. 5-20 C., '64.	111½	100 do.	34¾
100,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67.	110¾	100 Mariposa Pf.	10¾
2,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '68.	110¾	200 do.	10¾
5,000 do.	110¾	100 do.	10¾
3,000 Tenn. 6s, ex. c.	62	300 do. bck. call	10¾
15,000 do.	62¼	200 Quick. Min. Co.	5¾
10,000 do. bck. call	62	100 Pac. M. S. S. Co.	62
20,000 Tenn. 6s, new	60½	100 do.	62
3,000 do.	60¾	200 do.	62¾
1,000 N. Car. 6s, c. bd.	51¾	200 do.	62¾
5,000 N. Car. 6s, n.	39	200 do. bck. call	62¾
1,000 Mo. State 6s	90¾	100 Wells-Fargo Scrip.	1
25,000 do.	90¾	bck. call	1
4,000 California 7s	112¾	70 Am. Mer. U. Ex.	64¾
4,000 Louisiana 6s	71	50 U. S. Express	36¾
8,000 La. St. 7s, new	63	200 N. Y. C. & H. R.	92¾
2,000 Mich. 6s, '90	100	500 do. bck. call	92¾
1,000 N. Y. St. 7s, R. L.	100	400 do.	92¾
Registered	103	10,000 N. Y. C. & H. Cin.	87¾
8,000 C. Pac. R. G. bs.	90¾	400 Reading R.	94 94¾
100 L. S. & M. S. R.	84¾	100 L. S. & M. S. R.	84¾
2,000 do.	83¾	200 Ill. Cen. R.	116¾
3,000 do.	83¾	50 Panama R.	79¾
4,000 U. Pac. 7s L. G.	73	200 Chi. & N. W. R.	87¾
1,000 Alt. & T. H. 1st Pf	53	200 Chi. & N. W. Pf.	81¾
1,000 Alt. & T. H. 2d Pf	33	200 do.	80 87¾
1,000 Alt. & T. H. inc.	76	400 Chi. & R. I. R.	115¾
500 do.	77	200 Mil. & St. P. R.	94¾
300 C. & N. W. in. bs	93	100 do.	94¾
4,000 Tol. & Wab. 1st	73	100 do.	94¾
2,000 C. & Miss. con. bs	87	400 do.	94¾
2,000 Chi. & Alt. 1st	102	200 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	51¾
6,000 M. & St. P. 1s	92	700 Tol., W. & W. R.	32¾
10,000 C. & I. C. 1st	82¾	100 Ohio & Miss. R.	32¾
1,000 do.	82¾	100 Ohio & Miss. R.	32¾
500 N. Y. & N. H. 6s	99	100 Ohio & Miss. Pf. b. d.	72
500 L. Shore div. bs.	92	200 Del., Lack. & W.	104¾
20,000 Nash. Bank	90	100 P., Ft. W. & C. Guar.	92¾
10 Park Bank	165¾	400 Col., C. & I. C. R.	17½

SECOND BOARD.

$4,000 U. S. 6s, '81, R.	114	100 U. S. Express	36¾
22,500 U. S. 6s, '81, C.	a8.114	100 Quick. Pf. b. c.	6
10,000 do.	114 114¾	100 West. U. Tel. b. c.	34¾
3,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '62.	111¾	500 Pac. M. S. Co. b10	62¾
2,000 do.	111	200 do.	62¾
6,000 U. S. 5-20 R., '65.	111¾	200 N. Y. C. & H. R. b. c.	92¾
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65.	112¾	100 Chi. & N. W.	82¾
5,000 do.	112¾	14 Chi. & N. W. Pf.	81¾
1,500 U. S. 5-20 C., '66. N.	110¾	100 do.	81¾
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new	110¾	400 N. J. Cen. R. b. c.	46¾
100,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67.	110¾	100 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	51¾
5,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '68.	110¾	100 Tol., W. & W.	32¾
1,000 do.	110¾	100 Ohio & Miss. R.	32¾
42,000 U. S. 6s, 10-40 C.	107	200 Ohio & Miss. Pf. b. d.	72
10,000 U. S. 6s Cur.	111¾	100 Del., Lack. & W.	104¾
10,000 Tenn. 6s, ex. c.	62¾	100 P., Ft. W. & C. Guar.	92¾
20,000 do.	62¾	8 Chi. Bar. & Q. R.	133
5,000 Union P. R. 1st	82¾		

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21—P. M.

In the Wall-street markets today there was much tameness in Gold at 112¼@112½ ⅌ cent., the same figures as yesterday; lower accepted rates for Bills on London; decided firmness in the Public Funds; a slightly increased demand for Money, and a very unsettled speculation in the Railway Shares.

The quiet in the Gold Room has now continued for two or three days at quotations so slightly fluctuating as to leave the operators without much profit to compensate for watching the market. The holders of the Cash Gold are making something by lending it. The heavy receipts into the Treasury for Customs at the rate of $3,500,000 ⅌ week, against sales out of the Treasury of only a single million ⅌ week are constantly reducing the Gold averages at Bank and creating a borrowing demand from importers and others, on the Street. The Treasury accepted bids for only the $1,000,000 advertised to be sold today. The offers to sell amounted to $3,690,000, as follows:

BIDS FOR TREASURY GOLD, SEPT. 21.

De Forest, Willard & Co.		G. H. Bend.	
$200,000	112.50	$100,000	112.62½
K. P. Vermilye & Co.		100,000	112.50
100,000	112.80	S. H. Jessup.	
20,000	112.63	10,000	112.62
White, Morris & Co.		10,000	112.57
10,000	112.62	10,000	112.56
10,000	112.57½	10,000	112.55
10,000	112.55	10,000	112.54
10,000	112.52½	10,000	112.53
10,000	112.50	Farlee & Titus.	
10,000	112.49	20,000	112.60
Blake, Bros. & Co.		20,000	112.55
75,000	112.52	Kennedy, Hutchinson & Co.	
W. R. Ladd.		20,000	112.76
30,000	112.8½	20,000	112.75
T. Handy.		20,000	112.74
10,000	112.60	10,000	112.73
5,000	112.55	10,000	112.72
5,000	112.55	10,000	112.71
Baker & Kitchen.		10,000	112.70
10,000	112.62½	10,000	112.69
10,000	112.57½	10,000	112.67
10,000	112.55	10,000	112.66
J. H. Alexander & Co.		Marx & Co.	
20,000	112.60	50,000	112.76
J. E. Summerfield & Co.		50,000	112.75
10,000	112.62	50,000	112.74
10,000	112.60	50,000	112.73
Tassing, Fisher & Co.		50,000	112.72
25,000	112.46	50,000	112.71
25,000	112.45	50,000	112.70
25,000	112.56	50,000	112.69
25,000	112.61	50,000	112.68
Kenyon, Cox & Co.		50,000	112.67
20,000	112.62	50,000	112.66
50,000	112.61	50,000	112.65
Reed, Lee & Conkent		50,000	112.64
50,000	112.64½	50,000	112.63
50,000	112.63	15,000	112.62½
100,000	112.62½	L. Lewis Daniel & Co.	
Schefer Bros.		10,000	112.69
50,000	112.70	10,000	112.63
J. Matter.		10,000	112.62
10,000	112.67	10,000	112.61
20,000	112.63	10,000	112.59
20,000	112.62	J. P. Underhill & Co.	
10,000	112.65	100,000	112.65
10,000	112.60	50,000	112.63
20,000	112.67	50,000	112.67
20,000	112.65	50,000	112.71
20,000	112.61	H. R. Chandler.	
10,000	112.70	20,000	112.81
30,000	112.71	20,000	112.78
Vermilye & Co.		20,000	112.77
50,000	112.64	20,000	112.75
G. C. Magoun.		L. Horton & Co.	
100,000	112.81	100,000	112.69
Gibson, Bonelleston & Co.		E. Sweet & Co.	
20,000	112.50	20,000	112.52
20,000	112.55	10,000	112.50
C. D. Arther & Co.		10,000	112.49
50,000	112.48	20,000	112.54
Trevor & Colgate.		20,000	112.56
50,000	112.49	Turner Bros.	
H. A. Heiser's sons.		20,000	112.61
25,000	112.65 10	10,000	112.60
25,000	112.61 10	Dodge, Kimball & Moore.	
W. T. Hatch & Son.		25,000	112.67
10,000	112.70	25,000	112.66
10,000	112.68	25,000	112.65
20,000	112.61	25,000	112.60
10,000	112.60	25,000	112.55
15,000	112.55	25,000	112.50
20,000	112.51	25,000	112.45
10,000	112.45	25,000	112.40
J. A. Zerega & Co.		R. Ballin.	
20,000	112.70	10,000	112.70
50,000	112.65	10,000	112.69
50,000	112.60	10,000	112.68
50,000	112.73	10,000	112.67
		10,000	112.66
		10,000	112.65
		10,000	112.64
		10,000	112.63
		10,000	112.62
		10,000	112.61
		10,000	112.60
		10,000	112.59
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		10,000	112.51
		10,000	112.50
		10,000	112.49
		10,000	112.48
		10,000	112.47
		Duff & Tienken.	
		50,000	112.63
		$3,690,000	

ACCEPTED BIDS FOR GOLD.

Duff & Tienken.		Schefer Bros.	
$5,000	112.60	30,000	112.70
H. K. Chandler.		Lewis, Burrill & Co.	
20,000	112.81	10,000	112.69
20,000	112.78	Baker & Kitchen.	
20,000	112.77	20,000	112.67½
20,000	112.75	Julius Molten.	
Kenyon, Cox & Co.		5,000	112.62
50,000	112.71	10,000	112.61
V. T. Hatch & Son.		10,000	112.60
10,000	112.75	10,000	112.59
5,000	112.65	10,000	112.58
Bond Balls.		10,000	112.70
10,000	112.78	10,000	112.71
20,000	112.76	J. P. Underhill & Co.	
20,000	112.75	110,000	112.62
10,000	112.71	50,000	112.67
10,000	112.72	50,000	112.71
10,000	112.73	John A. Zerega & Co.	
10,000	112.72	20,000	112.70
10,000	112.70	20,000	112.68
10,000	112.69	10,000	112.69
10,000	112.68	50,000	112.73
Kennedy, Hutchinson & Co.		White, Morris & Co.	
25,000	112.78	5,000	112.68
25,000	112.77	Gwynne & Colgate.	
Marx & Co.		50,000	112.68
50,000	112.80		
50,000	112.79		
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50,000	112.65		
50,000	112.64		
50,000	112.63		
15,000	112.62½		
L. Horton & Co.			
100,000	112.68		
E. Sweet & Co.			
20,000	112.53		
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Turner Bros.			
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Dodge, Kimball & Moore.			
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10,000	112.48		
10,000	112.47		
Duff & Tienken.			
50,000	112.63		
$3,690,000			

The drawers of Exchange who were anxious to sell today accepted 109¾ ⅌ cent., sixty days, and 110@110¼ ⅌ cent., short sight on London. There is a larger selection of Bills on the market than last week, and a fair business is doing at 109¾ ⅌ cent., while some of the leading Bankers continue to ask 109¾@109¾ ⅌ cent. In addition to the credits on London put out by the Canada Banks in the last week or two, we hear that certain private Bankers are drawing, under orders from abroad, with a view to employ the proceeds of their Bills in the New-York Money market. The operation implies very little risk of loss, as Gold is received for the Exchange at very near the Gold shipping point, and the Gold in turn lent out for Currency, for a consideration of 1@2 ⅌ cent. for the sixty days the Bills have to run, and then the Currency placed on 6@7 ⅌ cent. per annum interest.

There is a demand for Money on call loan at 5@6 ⅌ cent., and at 7@9 ⅌ cent. on thirty to sixty days. We hear of $500,000, a single transaction, borrowed at Bank at 7 ⅌ cent., until Nov. 1, on Stock Collateral. On the Street a brokerage over 7 ⅌ cent. is paid for carrying Stocks thirty to sixty days.

In the Public Funds the demand ran strong today on the long 6 ⅌ cents of 1881, and on the 5 ⅌ cents 10-40s. Of the 5-20s the issue of 1867 was the favorite, and sold up to 110½ ⅌ cent. The other 5-20s were firm. The Treasury will to-morrow buy at least $2,000,000 of 5-20s. The advance on 1881s was to 114@114¼, and on 10-40s to 107@107½ ⅌ cent.

On the Stock Exchange the movement in the New-York Central and Western Roads was to a fair amount. The prices opened firm, then fell off 1@2½ ⅌ cent., and subsequently returned to the early quotations. There is less feeling evinced than on Monday and Tuesday between the leading *Bull* and *Bear* parties. The speculation in Pacific Mail was upward again, with a considerable amount of business doing in the Stock.

At the late Boards the following quotations were made as compared with Tuesday night:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS, SEPT. 21.

	Tuesday.	Wednesday.
United States 10-40s	108⅝	107
United States 5-20s of 1862	112⅝	112
United States 5-20s of 1867	110⅝	110⅝
American Gold Coin	113⅝	112⅝
Bills on London 60 days	109⅝	109⅝
New Bonds of Tennessee	60⅝	60⅝
N. Y. Central and Hudson	93⅝	92⅝
N. Y. C. & H. Debt Certificates	88⅝	88
Reading Railroad	95⅝	95⅝
Chicago and Rock Island	115⅝	115⅝
North-western Common	82⅝	82⅝
North-western Preferred	87⅝	87½
Pacific Mail Company	42⅝	43⅝
St. Paul Preferred	51⅝	51⅝
St. Paul Common	64⅝	64⅝
Lake Shore	92	92
Ohio and Mississippi	34⅝	33⅝
New-Jersey Central	105⅝	105⅝
Toledo and Wabash	52⅝	52⅝

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 21.

Gold receipts	$578,981 81
Gold payments	99,656 95
Gold balance	62,063,221 02
Currency receipts	317,390 60
Currency payments	535,573 36
Currency balance	3,705,043 03
Customs	850,000 00

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

4 ⅌ cent. reg., 1891	114	5-20 coup., n. t., 1865	110⅝
4 ⅌ cent. coup., 1891	114⅝	5-20 reg., 1867	110⅝
5-20 reg., 1862	111⅝	5-20 coup., 1867	110⅝
5-20 coup., 1862	113	5-20 reg., 1868	110⅝
5-20 reg., 1864	111⅝	5-20 coup., 1868	111
5-20 coup., 1864	111⅝	10-40 reg.	107
5-20 reg., 1865	111⅝	10-40 coup.	107
5-20 coup., 1865	113⅝	6s currency	111⅝
5-20 reg., n. t., 1865	110⅝		

And the following for the State Bonds:

Tenn. 6s, ex c.	62	Ky. 6s	99
Tenn. 6s, new bds.	60⅝	Ill. Canal bds.	70
Va. 6s, ex c.	62	Ill. Coupon 6s	100
Va. 6s, new	55	Ill. Coupon 6s, '77	100
Ga. 6s	82⅝	Ill. War Loan	100
N. C. 6s, old	51	Ind. 6 ⅌ c. W. L.	100
N. C. F. A., 1868	38	Ind. 5 ⅌ c.	100
N. C. F. A., new bds.	19	Mich. 6 ⅌ c., '72	100
N. C. F. A., S. T.	22⅝	Mich. 6 ⅌ c., '78	101
S. C. 6s, new bds.	29	Mich. 5 ⅌ c., '83	100
S. C. 6s, April & Oct.	71⅝	Mich. 7 ⅌ c., '78	105
Mo. 6s, old	90⅝	Mich. 7 ⅌ c., '82 L.	100
Mo. H. & St. Jo. 1s	90⅝	N. Y. Reg. R. L.	107⅝
La. 6s	71	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '72	107⅝
La. 6s, new bds.	72	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '73	107⅝
Cal. 7s	112	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '75	107⅝
Conn. 6s	100	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '76	107⅝
R. I. 6s	100	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '77	107⅝
Ala. 5s	100	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '78	107⅝
Ark. 7s, L. R. & F. S. R.	70⅝	N. Y. 6s, C. L., '79	107⅝
Ark. 6s, funded	50	N. Y. 5s, C. L., '76	100
Ohio 6 ⅌ c., '81	102		

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83	91	Tol. & Wab. 1st Ext.	68
N. Y. Cen. 6s, '87	95	Tol. & Wab. 2d	57⅝
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	100	Tol. & W. Equip Bs.	77
N. Y. C. 7s conv., '76	100	Tol., W. & W. C. C. S. F.	25⅝
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '85-'95	105	Ill. Cen. R. 1s	105
Erie 1st, 2d Ind., '70	91⅝	Ill. Cen. 1st, '52	86
Erie 7s, 2d Ind., '73	85⅝	Ill. Cen. 2d, '53	83
Erie 7s, 2d Ind., '82	85	Gal. & Chic. Ext.	90
Erie 7s, 4th Ind., '80	85	Gal. & Chic. 2d	80
Erie 7s, 5th Ind., '81	73	Chic. R. I. & Pac.	97⅝
B., N. Y. & E. 1st, '77	93	Morris & Essex 1st	102
B. R. & S. 1st, S. F. '83, '93	75	Morris & Essex 2d	93⅝
Harlem 1st	101⅝	Clev. & Tol. S. F.	86⅝
Harlem 2d	85⅝	Clev. & Pitts. 1st	93
Albany & Susq. 1st Bs.	109	M. J. Cen. New Bds.	101
Albany & Susq. 2d Bs.	92⅝	Pitts., F. W. & C. 2d	96
Chi., R. I. & Q. C. 8s	105 110⅝	Pitts., F. W. & C. 3d	94
Mich. S. & N. I.

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NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, SEPT. 22, 1870.

Announcements this Evening.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR.

Our special dispatches from the seat of war in Europe show that negotiations looking toward an armistice are in progress between our representatives at Paris and London and the British Foreign Office. A letter from Lord LYTTON, published yesterday in London, accuses the Government of apathy in restoring peace, and compares its course to that of NERO "fiddling while Rome was burning." The *Constitutionnel*, now published at Tours, says M. THIERS is satisfied with the result of his mission to England and the authorization of Lord LYONS to act in the intermediary negotiations, and he is to proceed to Vienna to secure the co-operation of Austria, if possible. On Tuesday the foreign representative arrived at Tours, and visited the members of the French Government. Señor OLOZAGA's instructions, it is now stated, were to recognize the French Republic officially, after the British Minister in Paris had done so, but the Spanish Minister acted without waiting for Lord LYONS to act.

Dispatches received by the Bavarian Minister of War, represent that the French, under Gen. VINOY, were defeated between Villeneuve and Montrange, on the 19th inst., and driven within their intrenchments, with the loss of seven cannon and a thousand prisoners. This is probably the same encounter in which the French claimed a victory at Vissoux, the locality indicated being nearly identical, and the date the same. Our special dispatches reiterate the claim of the Prussians to a victory on the 19th inst. between Villeneuve and Montrange. A London dispatch says the Germans occupy Nemours. The French Government has ordered troops from all parts of the country to concentrate upon Paris. Transports have landed 6,000 Zouaves and 2,000 Chasseurs-à-Cheval at Toulon. The defenders of Paris are represented to be exceedingly active in throwing up earthworks at the northern approaches to the city, while the defenses on the south side are strengthened hourly. Reports received at Tours state that the Prussians on the line of the Orleans Railway were repulsed and compelled to fall back upon Malesherbes and Pithiviers. The *Unions* says Metz is provisioned for many weeks, and cannot be taken by assault nor by starvation. The Bavarian War Minister has received intelligence of another sortie by the garrison at Strasbourg, on Tuesday, who were repulsed with heavy loss.

Our London correspondent telegraphs a statement made by a prominent American, just returned from Germany, to the effect that the South German States are using Prussia in the war, with the intention to proclaim a republic at the close. He represents the republican sentiment as pervading the whole of Germany. *Mitrailleuses* of a new pattern are to be supplied to the Bavarian Army which will discharge 300 balls a minute. Russia is moving large bodies of troops into Poland.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

The City of Rome was occupied by Italian troops yesterday. There was great delight at Florence, and the city was covered with flags. The Papal organ in London says the Ministry, under the new régime, will consist of Mazzini, Carroli, Cosmaschi, Fabrizi, Fortis, Ferrari, Mancini, Musmi and Garibaldi.

On Tuesday afternoon a large building in process of erection at Glasgow, Scotland, fell and buried eleven workmen in the ruins, five of whom were killed....News has been received at London of the loss of the American whaler *Alto*....The Emperor of Brazil is expected at Vienna soon.

GENERAL.

The New-York Democratic State Convention met at Rochester yesterday, and nominated JOHN T. HOFFMAN for Governor; ALLEN C. BRADY, Lieutenant-Governor; ASHER P. NICHOLS, Controller; JOHN D. FAY, Canal Commissioner, long term; GEORGE W. CHAPMAN, Canal Commissioner, short term; SOLOMON SCHEU, State Prison Inspector. The claims of the Young Democracy were ignored altogether, and their delegates sent in a protest, to which no attention was paid.

The Polytechnic College of Pennsylvania commenced its eighteenth annual session yesterday.

A serious conflict between whites and negroes in Laurens County, South Carolina, is reported.

The Haymaker Base-ball Club, of Troy, beat the Pastime, of Baltimore, yesterday, by a score of 22 to 7.

The Nevada Republican Convention met at Elkoy yesterday. The probabilities were in favor of the nomination of TAPPLE for Governor and SUNDERLAND for Lieutenant-Governor.

Yesterday was the second day of the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the Universalists at Gloucester, Mass. A discourse was delivered by Rev. A. A. MINER, and several reports submitted on the condition of the Church, which was represented as very prosperous.

The Commissioners have concluded to sell the interest of the State of Tennessee in several delinquent railroads, on the 26 of November.

The property of the Empire Mining Company at Grass Valley, Cal., valued at $150,000, was burned on Tuesday.

About 20,000 acres of forest land at Plymouth, Mass., has been burned over within the last few days and a large amount of timber and cord wood destroyed.

The State of California has commenced suit against the Pacific Mail Steam-ships *Newfoundland* and *America* for nearly half a million dollars for violation of the Passenger act.

The whale-ship *Norman*, from the Arctic Ocean, arrived at San Francisco, on Tuesday, with a cargo of oil, whale-bone and ivory, and brings favorable reports from other vessels in the same region.

Tucson, the capital of Arizona, is reported to be virtually in a state of siege. The Indians have killed many whites, destroyed the mails and mail stations, and driven the farmers from their ranches. The people are raising subscriptions and forming volunteer companies to fight the savages.

A French bark, the *Cayenne*, from Bordeaux, was found abandoned off Cape Henlopen and towed into New-Castle, N. C., on the 18th inst. It was loaded with hides, log-wood, &c.

Six thousand five hundred dollars has been awarded to Mrs. G. T. MAYO by a Court at Boston, for injuries sustained on the Boston and Maine Railroad.

A railroad accident occurred near Sheboygan, Mich., on Tuesday. One man was killed and several injured.

In the Board of Education yesterday a report was read from the City Superintendent showing that on the day of reopening the public schools 79,878 pupils were present, and 2,102 teachers. Payment of a number of bills illegally incurred by School Trustees was refused. The total payments on account of public schools during the quarter ending Sept. 16, was $688,-169 72.

One hundred guns were fired in the City Hall Park yesterday by the Thomas Coman Fourth Ward Association, in honor of the nomination of Gov. HOFFMAN.

The interest on stocks and bonds due on the 1st of November next, will be paid on and after that date by the City Chamberlain. The transfer-books will be closed on the 24th inst.

The New-York Democracy.

Tammany is supreme. The delegates assembled in convention, yesterday, simply to register its decrees. Mr. TWEED nodded, and they obeyed. He drafted the programme, and they executed it to the letter. There never was greater unanimity,—or more servile compliance with the commands of a dictator. Mr. TWEED looked and conquered. The Young Democracy, who proposed to contest his right to dominate, were not allowed even a hearing. Their delegates were denied admittance except as spectators, and the protest they handed in was treated with silent contempt. Mighty is Tammany, and, mightier still, its TWEED!

The nominations, too, were managed as only Tammany knows how to manage. Every point had been settled in advance, and every name was adopted "by acclamation." HOFFMAN, and BRADY, and NICHOLS, and FAY, and CHAPMAN, and SCHEU were all renominated. Thus does Tammany stand by its friends. Mr. HOFFMAN has served it faithfully. It placed him in the chair by fraudulent votes and fraudulent manipulation of the ballot-box, and right pluckily has he reciprocated its favors. Not even the Erie iniquity suffered in his hands. He had earned a renomination, therefore, and now goes before the State for its verdict on his administration. The power behind the throne promises him a majority from this City of between 55,000 and 65,000, and the fault will not be Tammany's if it be less. The work was easy enough under the old order of things. It were then as easy to give a hundred thousand majority as half that number. Mr. TWEED had but to decide what was needed, and in an instant it was there. This time the calculation lacks the element of certainty. We shall have an honest election. The legion of repeaters will not have an opportunity of displaying their prowess. Falsifying the count will be a hazardous, if not an impossible, process. Mr. HOFFMAN, then, must be re-elected by the State at large—or be defeated. The strength of Tammany was expended yesterday. The law will hold it in check in November. The Young Democracy, whom it despised at Rochester, will cripple its capacity for mischief on election day.

There is to be a vigorous canvass, we are told. On the Republican side there certainly will be. But the proceedings of yesterday promise little on account of the Democracy. They were intent upon being unanimous—they desired everything to be carried by acclamation; and in the eagerness to preserve an outward semblance of harmony, they sacrificed the essential conditions of strength. The platform amounts to nothing. It treats us to what the reporter calls a "general indictment against the Republican Party," which might be formidable if it were not untrue. It denounces the Congressional legislation preventing naturalization and election frauds,—as well it may do, since without these agencies the party loses its strongest guarantees of power. The Canal Funding bill is approved, but not a word appears in condemnation of the scandalous frauds which have disgraced the Democratic management of the canals. The administration of Gov. HOFFMAN is indorsed,—the partnership with Erie in the consummation of a scheme which the whole financial world brands as infamous, not being censured. There is, moreover, the usual amount of buncombe prepared specially for the ear of the foreign-born citizen. A free-trade resolution and a resolution relating to internal revenue—both too flimsy to deceive—complete the statement of issues with which the party proposes to go before the State.

As are the resolutions so are the speeches. They are as juicy as sawdust—as edifying as a shake of Mr. TWEED's head. Mr. TILDEN wandered into foreign parts and lost himself—returning home only to tell us that the United States drift toward imperialism. The temporary Chairman, Mr. DEWITT, is reported to have "entered upon a sharp criticism of the Republican Party,"—which may or may not have been something terrible. He denounced "all its acts," the reporter tells us, and we dare say the denunciation kept as near the truth as the first resolution, which is pretty nearly all falsehood. Mr. O'GORMAN was eloquent in generalities, and our versatile and popular Mayor did what he could to enliven the oratory. But it was all to no purpose. Tammany had decided upon making matters pleasant, and to that end made them dull. Mr. TWEED lifted his little finger and promised a big majority—and that was the only speech that possessed significance. All else was dry and barren.

The unity boasted of is, then, achieved only by ignoring the vital questions which distract the party everywhere. The Democracy of the Empire State, who have sounded their own praises for months past, would fain crawl into power emaciated and contemptible. There are Democrats who are not ashamed of Democracy—who adhere to the national platform and to principles and purposes with which the party is nationally identified. The Rochester Convention had two straight paths before it. It might have honestly avowed afresh the propositions of the platform on which SEYMOUR stood in regard to the Reconstruction acts and the national debt, or it might have frankly pronounced these "dead issues," of which the party cannot be too soon divested. The Convention took neither course; it evaded the questions altogether. Thus while the party throughout the country is notoriously distracted by divisions and controversies, growing out of extreme and moderate views in reference to the Republican policy, the Democrats of New-York shrink from the responsibility of helping or restraining either section. They dare not again denounce reconstruction as an usurpation, and they have not manliness enough to declare it a finished work. They are afraid to impugn the validity of the recent constitutional amendments, yet withhold their support from the judgment which pronounces them complete. There may be a certain degree of cunning in this method of escaping ugly differences, but assuredly the policy which "dodges" great issues, and magnifies little ones, is destitute of every real element of strength, and every claim to respect and support. It is the policy of tricksters,—not of honest politicians. It is the policy of a bankrupt and desperate party,—not of a party entering upon a canvass with a confidence inspired by honest purposes and a good cause.

Money Bags vs. National Honor.

The English people are out of temper with everybody and everything at the present moment. They are not satisfied with Mr. GLADSTONE. They are still less satisfied with their Queen, whose life has been spent, since her husband's death, in studying how not to do her duty. Then, again, they do not like the war. They do not at all like their own prospects. They are very much afraid that they have no army, and that their fleet is a delusion. They begin to think that their beautiful "neutrality policy" may in the end prove a disastrous mistake. They have acted with extreme meanness—to use no harsher word—toward the faithful ally of seventeen long years. They have clapped their hands on their breeches pockets, and cried out to the belligerents, "we don't want to have anything to do with either of you. Fight away as long as you like, only buy all you require of us." And now it seems as though this system would not pay in the end. "When we see two nations fighting," says the *Pall Mall Gazette*—the only English journal which has the courage to speak out—"it is very doubtful policy to dance round the combatants screaming like an excited old lady when she sees two navvies belabouring each other in the streets." That is a complete description of the attitude which England has occupied during the present war. "There is not a civil word for us anywhere on the whole Continent," complains the London *Times*. What else could England reasonably expect?

That Mr. GLADSTONE should have proved wholly unequal to the great crisis which has overtaken Europe, will surprise no one who has carefully studied his character and career. He is a man infirm of purpose, and representing nothing in England but that peddling "shop-keeping" spirit which is gradually sapping the energy and spirit of the country. He is afraid to move a finger until he is quite sure that the movement will not risk his popularity—and while he is waiting to be sure of that, the opportunity for action passes by, or the country drifts into a series of hopeless blunders. There is no longer any leader in England. The Liberal Party accepts Mr. GLADSTONE, because it must have a head, and there is no one else but the "people's WILLIAM" to put forward. Mr. BRIGHT would not command the loyalty of the larger section of the party. Lord RUSSELL is out of date. The younger members are not sufficiently powerful with the public to take a leading position. The country has had great faith in Mr. GLADSTONE, founded on his skill as a financier, and when it made him Prime Minister it expected great things of him. He has disappointed everybody. He has uttered a sentimental lament over the war as a "mournful and miserable" business. Further than this he has not attempted to go. He has made himself a party to the "policy" of insulting France and crouching down before Prussia—only to be detested by the one and despised by the other. This is one result of having a Prime Minister who is destitute at once of courage and genius. Lord PALMERSTON may sometimes have been an impudent man, but he at least had something better about him than the heart of a slave.

England down on her knees before her money bags will be obliged some day to admit that even the plan of alternately truckling to foreign Powers and insulting them will not render her secure. A great danger menaces her at this moment. If France forgives her for her dastardly behavior during the present war, Frenchmen must be made of different stuff from what they were. Prussia will never be reluctant to deal her a humiliating blow. If Russia and Prussia have a secret understanding with each other, as seems extremely probable, troubles in the East will arise very soon after this war is over. BISMARCK has most likely made proposals to the Czar which insure the neutrality of that potentate during the war with France, and the compact can scarcely be one which England would approve. The Czar has gone out of his way to pay compliments to the Germans on their valor and success—which does not look much like that intervention in favor of France which we have been bidden to expect. England will be in no position to check the next Eastern movement of Russia. She will never again find French soldiers fighting by her side. Her working men preach about the duty of settling all national disputes by arbitration, at the very time one of the most frightful wars of modern times is raging. Her middle class go to the Crystal Palace to feast their eyes on an imitation of the destruction of the bridge at Kiel. It is a wonder that a theatrical spectacle of the carnage at Sedan has not been arranged for their amusement. The Prime Minister is going about the country trying on frieze coats, and tasting Irish whisky. This is "England's attitude," while Europe is convulsed with war. With the yeomanry class almost extinct, with the best blood of the country drained away by emigration, with an incapable Ministry at the head of affairs, and shop-keepers ruling the nation—what other result could have been looked for?

The Sentiment of War.

Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE, probably taking up RUSKIN's recent appeal to women to put an end to war, has issued a call for a female Convention, to be held in any country that appears most convenient, for the purpose of taking active measures to put an end to the decision of international controversies by mutual slaughter. She says that wives should resolve not to welcome their husbands home, or offer them caresses, and applaud when they come, "reeking with carnage," but should show, in every possible way, with voice and pen, and by dress and demeanor, their horror and detestation of this mode of settling differences. We hope the Convention may be held, and that it may be well attended, and that its utterances may be powerful and impressive, and that it will be animated by a proper sense of the magnitude of the task it has before it—which we fear Mrs. HOWE is not. The number of bad things in the world which cannot be put down by conventions is enormous, and, though conventions are good as far as they go, they are, we fear, too largely resorted to, owing to the very defective appreciation which people who get them up have of the depth and intensity of most of the great ills which afflict human society. We believe it is DE MAISTRE who asks what our opinion of cats would be, if we heard that they were in the habit of collecting in bodies of from five thousand to ten thousand on a side, on a large plain, and biting and scratching each other to death with loud mewing for the space of several hours. We should certainly look on them as the most revolting of quadrupeds, and their battles as examples of unequaled ferocity. Mrs. HOWE, and most advocates of peace at any price, doubtless look at the encounters of large armies somewhat in the same way, and, so looking at them, have no words strong enough to express their sense of their monstrosity and guiltiness. But if human battles were of this kind, war would long ago have disappeared from the earth. Or if they still recurred, the proposed Woman's Convention would find it not very hard to make arrangements for putting them down.

But as war is, the difficulties in the way of general peace are enormous. In the first place, international disputes are frequently of such a nature that it is impossible to submit them to any tribunal, however learned or impartial. Take the present war between France and Germany as an illustration. There is absolutely nothing in its origin, which a lawyer could put down on paper and argue before a Court. One says: "I am a far stronger, abler, more highly civilized and worthy nation than you. You ought not to have as much weight in the world, or be listened to by our neighbors as respectfully as I am. Confess that this is true." The other replies: "It is not true, and your mere assertion of it shows what a scoundrel you are, and how unfit to have any weight at all in the civilized world. I see you are jealous of me, and are going to attack me. Come on, I am ready for you." All this is no doubt foolish, and, considering its consequences, wicked; but any remedy we propose for it must be something which will not only convince men of the horrors of war—with these belligerents are always as familiar as are the members of the Peace Society—but make them, in masses, more modest, self-sacrificing, indifferent to fame and intent on the practice of virtue. In other words, to prevent wars of this kind, which have simply national *amour propre* at the bottom of them, you must improve human character, which is a very slow process and cannot be done by conventions. When nations are roused by the fear that they are about to lose their legitimate place in the estimation of mankind, there is nobody who can quiet them with words. Nothing will prevent them submitting the matter to the test of their own courage and capacity. Nothing but a very low estimate of these qualities will induce them to submit it to the decision of a few men, and if they have a low estimate of their courage or capacity, they are pretty sure to be base people in various ways, and unfit for the best works of peace as well as for the best feats of war.

In the second place, paradoxical as it sounds, the very improvement which is going on in human character helps to perpetuate war. The more conscientious, public spirited, and self-sacrificing people become, the nobler the aspect war assumes in their eyes, and when they make it, the more earnestly and determinedly it is waged. Nobody who has closely watched the popular feeling in any country about any of the great wars of the last forty years can doubt this. Men put their very best qualities into war in our day more than their worst. The holiness of war, and the nobleness of the men who engage in it, and the strength of their claims on the gratitude of their countrymen, were never more talked of, or more deeply felt. One of the main difficulties one has in exciting horror of war lies in the fact that it involves surrendering, or willingness to surrender life, as well as killing the enemy, and this, of course, powerfully impresses the imagination. We shall never succeed, therefore, in making the soldier's trade disreputable by talking of him as "reeking with carnage." People don't think of that; they think of his having, on such a day, stood for long hours, amid spalling sights and sounds, ready at any moment to lay down life for their sake, or as having laid it down for their sake. Whether he killed anybody in battle is always doubtful; but there can be no doubt about his willingness to be killed himself, and nothing we can say will ever cause a man of whom this can be said to be otherwise than respectable in the eyes of the world, until there is some great change in human nature. The President of the Peace Society himself, we venture to say, finds his eyesight growing dim when he reads how "HORATIUS kept the bridge," or how MACDONALD marched at the head of his column over the bloody plain of Wagram; and human nature will certainly have lost seriously in some ways when such deeds seem simply repulsive.

The difficulty of getting rid of the sword as a decider of disputes was well illustrated last year by the publication of VICTOR HUGO's, and his brother peace delegates', grand plan for the pacification of the world. They were going to abolish standing armies and war altogether, they said; but, first of all, they were going to clear the ground for this happy state of things by one grand war, in which all the despots, and the wicked generally, would be brought to condign punishment. Is that the war which is now going on?

Thus far the history of the siege of Paris is simply this, that in spite of a determined resistance from the French Army Corps under Gen. VINOY, who were posted in the woods extending from Sceaux to Versailles, the investment of the south side of Paris has evidently been completed. The withdrawal of the French forces posted at Pierrefitte, north of St. Denis, must not be confounded with the movement in the south, though referred to in King WILLIAM's dispatch in connection with it. An advance on St. Denis means the commencement of an investment on the northern side of the city, which to all appearance, will be effected without much resistance.

The new French Republic is, it appears, destined not to escape the bane of its predecessors. At Paris the revolution is republican, at Lyons they have hoisted the red flag, and proclaimed the Republic democratic and social. Considering the source from which the cable telegram quotes this intelligence, it may be safely regarded with considerable suspicion. Every friend of human liberty regards with intense anxiety the development of the new order of things in France. Democratic progress in Europe may be retarded half a century by its failure, as its success will have a corresponding effect in hastening popular enfranchisement. If the Socialists are to repeat the follies of 1848, they will only throw the destinies of France once more into the hands of the alarmed millions of peasant proprietors, who will welcome any despotism that promises to lay the spectre of Communism.

The attack by the Prussians upon the citadel of Mont Valerien has evidently reminded the Committee for the Defense of Paris that the western side of the city could not safely be left to the sole protection of its single fort. Ironclad gun-boats have been placed on the Seine, which runs parallel with the entire western contour of the walls. If the natural advantages of the high banks of the river are fully improved, it would only be at frightful cost that an attack from the west could succeed. The fighting along the heights that run in a north-westerly direction from Villeneuve some miles south of Paris to Montrouge, on the outer line of southern defense, shows that the effect of the heavy Prussian artillery is to be attempted on the line of small forts that defend Paris on the south, while the activity exhibited in throwing up earthworks along the northern line of defense shows that the importance of this most vital of the approaches to the city is as fully appreciated by the besieged as it is by the military leaders of the besiegers. Let St. Denis once be turned, and the tongue of land formed there by the sharp bend of the Seine be held by the enemy, and the final assault on Paris will not be far distant. The gaining of such a position on the north would neutralize all the other parts of the fortified line, and the activity at this point comes not a moment too soon, even though no disposition has yet been shown to attack it.

Historical precedents have become inverted in these latter days. The proclamation of a French republic used to inaugurate a carnival of bloodshed—we have seen it set up without the loss of a single life. The Germans were wont to be considered the most pacific of Europeans—today they have proved themselves the most warlike. And yet stranger than these and other contradictions of previous experience, Rome was yesterday occupied by a hostile army without bloodshed. ATTILA, ALARIC, ROBERT GUISCARD, the Constable BOURBON, NAPOLEON and GARIBALDI are but a few of the leaders who have, in turn, either sacked and pillaged or taken forcible possession of Rome. The Eternal City can count nearly as many sieges as she has seen of generations; but now, when she takes, amid the acclaim of united Italy, the place which Florence gladly resigns to her, it was fitting that the troops of the Italian Kingdom should enter as friends and be welcomed as brothers.

The irrepressible Chinaman has arrived almost in our midst, and may be inspected 150 strong, in the full glory of "wooden shoes, loose trousers, blue blouses and broad hats," at Pompton, N. J. What that easy-going State thinks of its visitors we have yet to learn. As might be expected, the advent of John is regarded with very questionable satisfaction by his Hibernian fellow-laborers. It is satisfactory to learn that the "personal baggage" of the immigrants filled one entire car on the Erie Railroad, since there is a general delusion abroad that the Celestial carries all his wardrobe on his back. The free and enlightened Christians who come of these days may be fired with the ambition of breaking the heads of the new-comers, may possibly discover that mad baggage counted on Jonses and heathenish charms not to be tolerated in a civilized community.

That one-third of the entire number of children of school age in Brooklyn should be necessarily deprived of education, owing to the want of accommodation, in a state of things far from creditable to the City of Churches. The educational problem in our great cities is one of growing seriousness, and it is far from improbable that some sort of compulsory enactment may be required, at no distant date, to save us from the consequences of traffic ignorance and vice. Obviously, the first step to meet this is to leave no excuse for keeping children from school. The addition of five new buildings will scarcely rescue Brooklyn from the reproach of being in the rear of its educational requirements. But if Brooklyn falls short in accommodation, New-York must fall seriously short in attendance, since with double the population we show more than three thousand less children on the rolls than the sister city. Making all needful allowance for suburban residence and a greater number of private educational institutions, there is a serious deficiency here which represents an evil which we cannot too soon devise some measures to remedy.

The Chassepot, even by the confession of unfriendly critics, has really "worked wonders." "It is effective at 1,200 paces, and may easily be fired five times a minute," so that with a thousand French soldiers in possession of this deadly weapon, five thousand bullets a minute may be hurled on an advancing column at the distance of one mile, and, taking the most rapid rate of advance at ten minutes, the assailants must pass through a storm of 50,000 bullets before they can be close to the enemy. As the needle-gun only becomes effective at a distance of six hundred yards, the Prussians have to traverse 1,200 yards without being able to return the enemy's fire. These facts sufficiently explain the new tactics followed by the French in the present war of awaiting instead of advancing to attack, and they render still more marvelous the almost uninterrupted course of German successes.

Is it not almost time that the ubiquitous correspondent ceased to invent conversations with BISMARCK? BISMARCK is about the last person in the world likely to confide any of his plans to a newspaper reporter. Fancy the most cunning man of the age sending for an "interviewer," in order to discuss the crisis with him! These conversations with BISMARCK are fraudulent, one and all. They are intended to deceive the public, and only simpletons could be induced to place any faith whatever in them.

The papers have lately been flooded with stories about the interview between the King of Prussia and NAPOLEON. In most of these "yarns" the King is represented as having been in a towering rage, and the Emperor quiet and self-possessed. Perhaps people will agree to reject these fictions, and to accept as authentic the account given by the King himself. He declares that he was much touched by the meeting, and writes to the Queen, of the Emperor, in a spirit even of tenderness. Another story, which of late has been industriously circulated, is to the effect that the Ex-Emperor had contrived to smuggle an enormous fortune. This is now contradicted on the authority of the London *Times*—a paper which has followed him with bitter hostility. The Emperor, it is positively announced, is as poor as he was in 1848, having only a cottage which his mother, Queen HORTENSE, bequeathed to him. The Empress possesses only her private jewels, and the Prince Imperial a house near Trieste which some one left to him by will. It is always good sport to invent falsehoods at the expense of the fallen—"when a man is down kick him," says the vulgar adage. So it is not very likely that the authoritative announcements now made will stop the flow of stories about NAPOLEON's greed and avarice.

The *Evening Mail* of last evening rejoices over its fourth anniversary. The success of our sparkling and ably-edited contemporary is a legitimate triumph of respectable journalism. To Major BUNDY, who has for two years held the editorial management of the *Mail*, must be attributed the largest share of the credit due to the production of a paper which is lively without scurrility and "newsy" without being either frivolous or sensational.

Gottschalk's Remains.

The remains of the lamented LOUIS MOREAU GOTTSCHALK are now lying at Quarantine, aboard the steam-ship *Morrisiana*, arrived from Rio Janeiro, yesterday. They are intrusted to the care of WILLIAM HALL & SON, the publishers of the deceased. A requiem mass will be sung over them at St. Stephen's Church, in Twenty-eighth-street, on Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon next, and afterward they will be consigned to a tomb in Green-Wood Cemetery.

The Recent Heavy Gale at Sea—Ships in Distress.

Mr. HENRY SEGUINE, of the pilot-boat *Isaac Webb* No. 2, reports that on Sunday, Sept. 18, the vessel encountered a fearful hurricane in latitude 40° 40', longitude 68° 20', commencing at the E. N. E. and veering round to the N. W. The barometer fell rapidly from 30 to 28.70. The wind was blowing with fearful violence for fifteen hours, and there was a tremendous sea running in all directions. On Monday, the 19th, after the gale, they fell in with the bark *Hope*, of Maitland, N. S., from Windsor, N. S., for Philadelphia, with all her sails blown from her yards, and wanted no assistance. At 8 P. M. they fell in with the bark *Edward*, (of Maitland, N. S.,) in a leaky condition, having nine feet of water in her hold. They next met the ship *Kenilworth*, (Br.,) from New-Haven, for St. John's. They hove to, and took from her the Captain, (PUTNAM,) his wife, and her sister. The Captain had his leg broken by a spar falling on it. The Captain made an agreement with the pilot-boat that the latter should assist the bark into the nearest port, the ship *Kenilworth* furnishing four men. On going to the bark, they found her abandoned by her mate and crew, and the crew on the pilot-boat *Hope*, No. 1, in possession. They lay by her all night, the *Hope's* crew pumping all the time. On boarding her the next morning, they found the water had gained on them, she having thirteen feet of water in her. They would not allow the crew of the Webb to assist them. The latter left feeling confident she could never go down. Had the crew of the bark said by her, Mr. SEGUINE believes she could have been saved, with the assistance of both boats. She was a new vessel, just off the stocks.

AMUSEMENTS.

Mlle. Nilsson's Second Concert.

New-York has a new goddess; a goddess with a brow of alabaster, with eyes of turquoise and with golden hair; with the sweetness of smiles, and, more potent and delightful still, a voice which this side of Paradise few mortal ears are likely to hear surpassed. We can recall JENNY LIND, and remember that she was an idol too. But the new divinity is made of finer stuff than her compatriot and predecessor. She has in her not less of the angel—and very much more of the woman. She is more lovely in person, more versatile in ability, and, to our perception, more exalted in soul. This likewise seems to be the conviction of an audience more critical and fastidious than that which listened here to the former nightingale, while including many of the same individuals. Both singers must be accounted wonderful, indeed phenomenal, as mistresses of their art. Perhaps JENNY LIND, in some technical aspects, should be called the superior. But far more important than this advantage, if indeed it exists, Mlle. NILSSON's passion, tenderness and dramatic fire place her in a loftier and grander niche than her rival. HAYDEN is of a higher order of composers than VERDI, and probably Mme. GOLDSCHMIDT can sing, or could once have sung, "Angels ever bright and fair" as superbly as Mlle. NILSSON; but it is certain that the former could never have equaled the latter in "Ernani Involami." Now, comparative excellence is to be measured not by degrees in one style alone but in all styles. In other words, superiority is to be adjudged, in art as in physiology, by the totality of functions. Thus, if we find one artist equal to another in a single department, and far outshining him in others, the laurel goes with versatility. And this must be emphatically so where the ampler breadth of stage takes in the strongest and deepest passions of our nature.

Steinway Hall was again crowded last night to excess. The house was otherwise as brilliant as that of Mlle. NILSSON's first appearance on Monday; and the tokens of satisfaction were apparently more rapturous and decidedly more spontaneous that on that critical occasion. On Monday there was blended with the expectancy of being pleased and the purpose of generous hospitality a certain tentative expression with which New-York is very apt of late years to receive new artists. There was joy, but it was chastened with doubt; thunders of applause, but with an implicit reserve touching the distinction between welcome and indorsement. But last night the public were literally at Mlle. NILSSON's feet. The programme of the occasion was, like that of the first concert, admirably selected. Its numbers are subjoined:

PART I.

1. Overture.....“Prezciosita”.....Weber
Orchestra.
2. Duet.....“Il Barbiere”.....Rossini
Signori Brignoli and Verger.
3. Violin Solo....Fantasia “Faust”.....Vieuxtemps
Mr. Henry Vieuxtemps.
4. Cavatina.....“Ernani Involami”.....Verdi
Mlle. Christine Nilsson.
5. Piano Solo....Fantasia “Lurline”.....Wallace
Mr. James Wehli.
6. Mandolinata.....Paisiello
First time in America.
Miss Annie Louise Cary.
7. Quartet, (“Mesta Notte”)....“Martha”...Flotow
Mlles. Nilsson and Cary and Signori Brignoli and Verger.

PART II.

1. Overture.....Flotow
Orchestra.
2. Romanza.....“Non Torno”.....Tito Mattei
Signor Verger.
3. Scena ed Aria.....“Lucia”.....Donizetti
Mlle. Christine Nilsson.
4. Violin Solo.....“La Boheminne”.....Vieuxtemps
Mr. Henry Vieuxtemps.
5. “Si in Savoia”.....Balfe
Signor F. Brignoli.
6. Duet.....“Don Pasquale”.....Donizetti
Mlle. Nilsson and Signor Verger.
7. Coronation March.“Prophet”.....Meyerbeer
Orchestra.

Mr. MAX MARETZEK led the overture to “Der Freischuetz” with his customary precision and verve, and the duet from “Il Barbiere” was then heard to the satisfaction of the audience. M. VERGER lacks unction, breadth and humor for *Figaro*, but he sang the music artistically, and Signor BRIGNOLI, who was in capital voice, delighted his admirers in the tenor notes of the duet. Mr. VIEUXTEMPS next played his own fantasia on themes from “Faust,” which was received with hearty pleasure. The execution of this sterling artist has not before been more capably displayed or more universally approved. The romantic cavatina from “Ernani” is, perhaps, most effective when sung by a mezzo-soprano. As given by Mlle. NILSSON, however, the impression could hardly be bettered. The sweetness and strength of her incomparable organ were heard to advantage in the opening aria, but in the brilliant cavatina succeeding she introduced some passages of execution truly astonishing, reaching the high F on the finishing phrase after an extraordinary exhibition of range in the lower register before. The encore to this selection was responded to by Mlle. NILSSON, who sang a Swedish ballad with charming simplicity, accompanying herself on the piano. We hope soon to have the satisfaction of hearing the cantatrice sing a ballad in English. Mr. WEHLI now played his fantasia from WALLACE's opera in the thorough and masterly style which has established his fame. Miss CARY secured a vigorous encore for the quaint Mandolinata, singing the pretty English song, “Looking Back,” in reply, and the melodious quartet from “Martha” wound up the part. In this we were again favored with a glimpse of Mlle. NILSSON's operatic powers, and again called on to admire the wonderful facility, never seemingly born of effort, that distinguishes all her performances. This facility, indeed, in grappling with supreme difficulties is perhaps the prime characteristic of Mlle. NILSSON's art. Art is a hard mistress. A woman can play *Juliet*, said an old actress, only when she is past forty. The true cadence of

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mium. Yet enthusiasm, when real, is in itself a precious thing, and enthusiasm has few nobler inspirations than are evoked by what is most pure and lovely in woman, united with what is most perfect and divine in art. When a human being approaches this mingled ideal we need not be cold or grudging in praise, need not fear misapprehension which a study of the object of praise will convert into sympathy. When Mr. DISRAELI lately sketched Miss Theodora, the typification of Madre Natura, that is to say, of a perfect woman, the figure so many seemed overstrained or cast of drawing, the snows of sixty-five winters, it was said, have failed to cool a fiery imagination that runs into extravagance in the contemplation of a favorite ideal. Yet the picture might have been mirrored from a reality treasured in the artist's innermost heart. The original, in all that transcendent loveliness, might once have walked the earth. And if this beautiful woman, of a time gone by, were as sublime in pure intellect and boundless generosity as is the fair young Swede, our visitor, in the sphere of her own glorious art, we at least could not hold the Mr. Premier to be visionary or exaggerated for even styling his Theodora with Oriental warmth "the Cynosure of the Empyrean."

Theatrical.

MME. SEEBACH.

We remind our readers that the first appearance of Mme. SEEBACH in this country occurs at the Fourteenth-street Theatre, to-night. Following is the distribution of parts in "Faust:"

Gretchen	Mme. Marie Seebach
Faust	Mr. Dombrowski
Mephistopheles	Mr. Harry
Valentine	Mr. Ryan
Wagner	Mr. Robbe
Brandt, Altmayer, Siebel, Frosch	Students: Mr. Faltesch, Mr. Sage, Mr. Mueller, Mr. Rinkman
Spirit of the Earth	Mr. Meyer
The Witch	Mr. Beckler
Evil Spirit	Mme. Hoder
Marta	Mme. Grahn

Two performances, Friday, "Faust."

UNIVERSALIST CENTENARY.

Celebration in Gloucester, Mass.—Record of a Hundred Years—The Birth of Universalism and Its Growth in America—The Story of the Coming of John Murray, and His Reception by Thomas Potter.

From Our Special Correspondent.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Tuesday, Sept. 20, 1870.

The Universalists of America begin the celebration of their centenary today, in this quaint old town of Gloucester, where the first society of this denomination was gathered, where the first church was erected, and where the first distinctive Universalist minister was ordained. The rise of every religious sect seems to partake, more or less, of the elements of the marvelous, and the Universalists, in their early history, relate facts around which are gathered some of the mysteries of Providential interposition.

THE PIONEER UNIVERSALISTS.

One hundred years ago the latter part of this month a plain and unknown man landed on the shores of New-Jersey, near the present village of Good Luck. There was nothing in his dress or appearance to indicate the minister, nor was it in this stranger's heart to begin the work of building a new religious sect. And here the marvelous part of the record begins, for on this shore, several years previous to this time, an humble planter, named THOMAS POTTER, who had never heard a Universalist preach, nor had ever read a Universalist book, conceived the idea of Universalism from his study of the Bible, had built a church in the strong conviction that God would send him a minister in His own good time to proclaim the glad tidings of universal grace and salvation. His neighbors had laughed his prophecy to scorn, and taunted him with the question, "Well, POTTER, where is your minister?" to which he had invariably replied, "God will send him bye and bye." When POTTER saw, through the fog of that September morning, the stranded hulk that had brought the stranger to his shore, a voice speaking from the cloud seemed to say, "There, POTTER, in that vessel, lost away on that shore, is the preacher you have been so long expecting;" and when the stranger approached his door, the same voice seemed to say, "This is the man sent to preach in your meeting-house."

JOHN MURRAY.

The stranger proved to be an Englishman, who, though reared in "the church," had been proselyted by the Methodists and subsequently converted to Universalism through the preaching of JAMES RELLY, of London. This was JOHN MURRAY, who had for many years been the follower of WHITEFIELD, and who by a strange coincidence began the proclamation of his new faith in this country on the very day that WHITEFIELD died. The persecution that followed the avowal of his faith, in England, together with the grief into which he was plunged by a variety of misfortunes, decided him to quit England and renounce preaching forever. What must have been his feelings, therefore, on meeting with this New-Jersey planter, to hear the announcement that God had sent him to proclaim the doctrine of universal salvation? "Next Sunday," said POTTER, "you must preach in my meeting-house." But MURRAY protested, declaring that he must sail immediately on the changing of the wind. "But the wind will never change," was POTTER's reply, "until you have delivered your message from the pulpit in that meeting-house." And so it proved. When Saturday evening came, bringing no change of the wind, MURRAY accepted it as a divine intimation that he should preach, and, accordingly, the announcement was spread far and near by the servants of the planter, and on Sunday, Sept. 30, 1770, JOHN MURRAY, the pioneer of this new sect, delivered his first message to the people of this country. From this event the Universalists date the origin of their denomination, and these facts are substantiated by the testimony of MURRAY and POTTER, and are held in the tradition of the neighborhood where the humble meeting-house still remains, under the shadow of which a simple tablet marks the grave of the trustful POTTER.

GROWTH OF THE DENOMINATION.

In commemoration of this first sermon, the Universalist denomination are holding their centennial jubilee in this village, where MURRAY first assumed a settled pastorate. From this humble beginning, through persecutions incident to all new sects, the Universalist denomination has been extending its borders year by year, until they are able to report, in the States and provinces, nearly one thousand churches and nine hundred preachers. The fact that there are more churches than pastors is accounted for in that the facilities for educating the ministry have, until a very recent date, been so limited that the demand for preachers far outran the supply. The denomination, appreciating this, have now in active operation two theological seminaries, one in connection with Tufts College in Massachusetts, and the other located at Canton, under the auspices of the St. Lawrence University. A third theological school is soon to be established as a special department of the Lombard University at Galesburg, Ill. The denomination has so largely invested in their colleges and institutions of learning, Tufts College in Massachusetts possessing property to the amount of $237,000. This financial exhibit is, for the most part, the result of the labor of the past twenty years. Besides their colleges in Massachusetts, New-York and Illinois, the Universalists possess ten academies, as a result of their awakening to the subject of education.

ITS MINISTRY.

Its ministry comprises some of the most learned and eloquent men of our times, among whom are recognized the names of Dr. E. H. Chapin, Rev. Dr. T. J. Sawyer, Rev. Dr. A. A. Miner, Dr. T. R. Thayer, Abel C. Thomas, Dr. W. H. Ryder, Dr. E. G. Brooks, Rev. John G. Bartholomew, Dr. Asa Saxe, Dr. J. H. Hartwell, Dr. E. C. Bolles, Dr. R. Fish, Rev. J. M. Pullman, Rev. John G. Adams, Rev. Moses Ballou, Rev. Geo. W. Montgomery, Rev. Richard Eddy, and others of equal prominence and ability. And, not to be forgotten in this centenary celebration, as eminent preachers of this denomination who have passed on to their reward, we recall the names of Hosea Ballou, Henry Becon, Thomas Jones, Drs. Hosea Ballou, second, Thomas Whittemore, Otis A. Skinner, Sylvanus Cobb, Day Kellogg Lee, Dolphus Skinner, and scores of others, who are enjoying honorable mention in the history of this hundred years. The denomination also points with laudable pride to the ability and influence of its Press, in which are included a first-class Quarterly, that has added many sterling contributions to the literature of the country, the *Ladies' Repository*, three Sunday-school papers, and nine weekly journals. Attached to the denomination are two publishing houses, one in Boston, one in Chicago, with a flourishing book establishment in Cincinnati, and one soon to be established in New-York.

THE CENTENARY WIND.

That the Centenary year should not prove barren in results, the usual ecclesiastical agencies were applied for the raising of a large fund for the endowment of schools, the building of Missionary churches and for the various wants of the denomination. It is expected that over one million dollars will be reported at the Convention as the gift of the year, including a Murray Fund of $200,000, the interest of which is to be devoted to the education and assistance of the students at the Theological Schools.

THE ATTENDANCE AT THE JUBILEE.

The attendance at the Convention promises to be unusually large. Every hotel is crowded to its utmost capacity, while the citizens of Gloucester, with true New-England hospitality, vie with each other in supplying entertainment to the strangers. Beds on the parlor floor, in the halls, and, in fact, every where under the roof, are spread for the welcome guests, and this, too, without distinction of sect; Baptist, Methodist and the Orthodox alike cheerfully open wide their doors and assist with all the zeal of true Christian and liberal people in feeding the multitude. The use of the term "Orthodox" reminds me that it has a more restricted sense in this part of New-England than in the Western States. Here the Presbyterians alone monopolize that satisfactory distinction, while in New-York nearly all the sects of the popular creeds enjoy the indorsement. Many societies in the neighborhood of Boston and Gloucester have come with tents, intending to "camp out" throughout this revival week. In one large sail-loft a whole congregation from Roxbury have erected tents and are living in the most cozy and sociable style, their genial pastor, Rev. MR. PATTERSON, and his excellent lady, contributing largely to the enjoyment of the occasion by their cheerful acceptance of the situation.

JOHN MURRAY'S CHURCH.

The original old church in which JOHN MURRAY preached while located in Gloucester, was converted many years ago into a barn. On this occasion, however, it has been "put in order," and services, under the leadership of the veteran, Rev. ABEL C. THOMAS, are to be conducted under the same roof where MURRAY and his faithful followers raised their voices and offered their prayers in the good old colony days when "GEORGE the Third was King." The principal services will be held in a large tent, capable of accommodating six thousand people, and it is here that the eloquent CHAPIN, the refined MINER, will gather the people and talk to the multitude. The regular work of the Convention commences at 10 o'clock this morning. R.

Second Day's Proceedings—Sermon by Rev. A. A. Miner—Reports on the State of the Church, &c.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Sept. 21.—The second day's session of the Universalist Centenary meeting was full to overflowing. Conference meetings were held in two other churches this morning at 7½ o'clock. The Council met at 9½ o'clock in a large tent. It is estimated that from 12,000 to 15,000 persons were present today. The first hour of the morning session was devoted to an amendment and additions to the constitution and by-laws of that body. At 2½ o'clock the religious services began. Rev. G. W. QUIMBY, of Maine, read a psalm. Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. BENJAMIN WHITTEMORE, of Massachusetts, and the congregation united in singing a hymn. The sermon was then delivered by Rev. A. A. MINER, of Boston, from the texts in Revelations first chapter, second verse, and 2 Peter, third chapter, eighth verse. The sermon occupied nearly two hours in its delivery, and was a most thorough exposition of the doctrine of the Universalist Church, and a historical sketch of the prevalence of the Universalists' idea in different churches and ages. It commanded the closest attention of the vast audience until the end. The Council adjourned till 2½ o'clock.

The meeting this afternoon was even more largely attended than that of the morning. This session was given to the reading and consideration of reports. The report on the state of the Church was made by Rev. J. SMITH DOBBS, of Connecticut. It set forth, first, the improved organization of the body, then much attention was bestowed on the Church as the one body to which all Christian believers should unite, not for their personal benefit but for Christian work. Rites and forms were dwelt upon as expressions of spiritual life, and a power to reach and deepen the sentiment and feelings from which they spring. Certain forms of ritual were commended. There the report closed by the expression of the conviction that the Church is growing with all the energy of vigorous and undeveloped youth.

The report on education was made by Rev. Prof. LEONARD, of Tuft College. It presented the subject of education under three heads: First, what we have; second, what we have done; and third, what we ought to do. First, we have Lombard University, Galesburg, Ill., the building and grounds of which cost $60,000 in real and personal property, with a library comprising 4,000 volumes, worth $100,000. Second, we have St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y., with three departments, collegiate, theological and law, the total assets of which are $152,150, and a library containing 6,000 volumes. The value of the buildings, chapel and library is $280,000. Third, we have Tuft College, Massachusetts, established in 1854, the total assets of which are worth $900,000, the value of the building and grounds $210,000, and the library, cabinet and apparatus $20,000. Fourth, we have Smithson College, Logansport, Ind., the total assets of which are $65,000, and twelve acres of land, worth $5,000. The main building was put under contract last August, and will be open in the Fall of 1871. Fifth, we have Buchtel College, Ohio, named in honor of JOHN BUCHTEL, Esq., by whose munificence it was founded. Its assets are $65,000. The central college building will be immediately begun. In addition to these, first, Clinton Liberal Institute, Clinton, N. Y., established in 1831; second, Westbrook Seminary, Stevens Plains, Me., incorporated in 1831; third, Green Mountain Institute, South Woodstock, Vt.; fourth, Dean Academy, Franklin, Mass.; fifth, Jefferson Liberal Institute, Jefferson, N. Y., and sixth, Green Mountain Institute, Barre, Vt. The total valuation of which is $835,000; Theological Schools, Canton, N.J., and Tuft College, Mass.; Divinity School, College Hill, Mass. The denomination has five colleges, seven academies and two theological schools, representing a total valuation of nearly $2,000,000. Second—What we have done: That we have done nearly all this in thirty years; that we have planted and protected these institutions, is something done. A new sentiment has been awakened in favor of sound learning and generous culture, and every college and school awakens and gives direction to benevolence and to the self-sacrifice. Third—What that we ought to do: We ought to sustain our present institutions liberally, and multiply these agencies of good, as our growing need demands. We must have an educated clergy and laity as well. Let our schools have a distinctive character, and embody and express what is most central and vital in our religion.

The report on Sunday-schools was made by G. C. NEEDHAM, of New-York, and was an able and lengthy one. The first Universalist Sunday-school was organized in Stoughton, Mass., in 1819. Forty were formed in 1829, and 250 have been reported as formed this year. The whole number in our limits are 800, and the membership 40,000. Twenty-six lady superintendents are mentioned. Massachusetts, New-York, and Ohio have over 5,000 teachers. The report was crowded with facts and filled with the most valuable practical suggestions. After the reports, addresses were made by President FISK and Prof. SHIPMAN, of St. Lawrence University, and "Missouri" by Rev. E. L. SHERMAN, of Ohio, on "The State of the Church," and by Rev. SELTZ DONES, of Connecticut, on "Sunday-schools." An appeal was made for the Murray fund, and $2,500 was raised on the spot.

A women's centenary meeting was held in the Universalist Church today. The church was crowded to repletion; thousands having had to go away for want of room. Spirited and eloquent addresses were made by MRS. MARY A. LIVERMORE, MRS. FRANCES HAMBATFORD, Miss OLYMPIA BROWN and Miss CHAPIN.

The women movement for the Murray Fund has been crowned with signal success. Rev. Mr. BOLLES, of Brooklyn, preached in the Unitarian Church, and Rev. Dr. SAWYER in the Baptist Church, both to overcrowded churches. The Council meets in the Congregationalist Church for work on the constitution and by-laws. The Convention closes to-morrow. The whole bearing and spirit of the meeting evinces earnestness and preparation for more and better work.

Mr. BRENTANO, No. 37 Union-square, has received the *Graphic* and the *Illustrated London News* by the latest steamer. Both these publications will possess historical interest, since they are full of war views of great power and value. Mr. BRENTANO also has *Punch*, *Nature*, the *Academy*, and the *Saturday Review*, and altogether the famous news-vender is determined to keep his place at the head of all his competitors.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Serious Accident at Glasgow, Scotland—Loss of an American Whaler—The Emperor of Brazil.

GLASGOW, Sept. 21.—Yesterday afternoon a large building, in course of erection in this city, fell with a great crash. Eleven workmen were buried in the ruins, five of whom were killed.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Advices have been received here of the total loss of the New-Bedford whaler *Alto*. No date is given. She was wrecked off the Falkland Islands. [The *Alto*, Capt. WHITE, was a bark of 230 tons burden, and left New-Bedford June 7, 1867, for the Pacific. She was at Talcahuano, Chili, on the 23d of February, 1870.]....The *Times* today ridicules the protest of Bishop COXE against the mode of the proposed revision of the Bible, and says his arguments practically oppose any revision whatever.

VIENNA, Sept. 21.—The Emperor of Brazil is expected here soon.

THE PACIFIC SLOPE.

The Indian War in Arizona—Arrival of a Whaler at San Francisco—A Suit Against Pacific Mail Steamers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—Later advices have been received from Tucson, the capital of Arizona. The place, to all intents, was in a state of siege. No mails were received from California from July 31 to Aug. 26. Ten or twelve whites were killed in the month of August in the vicinity of Tucson, and a number of Mexicans on the border of Sonora—mail-riders, soldiers and teamsters—were slaughtered. The mails, mail stations and wagon trains were destroyed, and the farmers were abandoning their ranches. A war meeting had been held and liberal subscriptions made for the purpose of protection against the savages. Companies of volunteers were organizing to act in conjunction with Lieut. CUSHING's command, a detachment of the Third Cavalry. The Indians were absolutely free to commit any depredations....The whale-ship *Norman*, from the Arctic Ocean, has arrived here with 400 barrels of oil, 2,000 pounds of bone and 1,600 pounds of ivory. Capt. FOWL died of dropsy on the 1st of September. His body was preserved in ice, and will be sent to New-Bedford. The *Norman* left the Arctic Aug. 11. She reports having spoken the *Josephine* with four whales, the *Onward* with three, the *Trident* with two, and the *William the First*, *Count Bismarck*, *John Howland* and *Cornelius Howland* with one each. The fleet numbered fifty-two vessels. It was the opinion that all will do well the present season. The larger portion of the ships have gone into walrus fishing, and averaged from 200 to 300 barrels....Work on the San Juan Valley Railroad is being rapidly pushed forward. The massive bridge over the Stanislaus River is nearly completed....The State of California has commenced suits against the Pacific Mail steam-ships *Montana* and *America* for nearly half a million dollars for violation of the Passenger act.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

Important Suit Decided in Kentucky—Sale of State Interest in Tennessee Bonds.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—The suit of the old stockholders of the Covington and Lexington Railroad Company against the heirs of R. B. BOWLER, and others, involving the title to what is now known as the Kentucky Central Railroad, and which has been pending several years in the Kenton Circuit Court, was decided yesterday, by Judge MENZIES, in favor of the defendants. The case was one of great magnitude. The defendants prayed an appeal, and will, it is thought, take the case to the Court of Appeals.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 21.—The State Commissioners have decided to sell by auction on the 3d of November next the State interest in the following delinquent railroads, receiving State bonds in payment: The Nashville and North-western; the Cincinnati, Cumberland Gap and Charlestown; the Central Southern Edgefield and Kentucky; the Memphis, Clarksville and Louisville; the Knoxville and Kentucky; the Minnville and Manchester; the Rogers and Jeffersonville; the Winchester and Alabama; the Knoxville and Charleston; the Henderson and Nashville; the East Tennessee and Western; the East Tennessee and Western North Carolina.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Destruction of Mining Property in California—Conflagration in the Woods of Massachusetts—Burning of a Schooner on Lake Erie.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—The property of the Empire Mining Company, at Grass Valley, including the mill, hoisting and pumping works, storehouses, and 3,000 cords of wood, was burned yesterday. The loss amounts to $150,000, on which there is an insurance of $40,000.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 21.—An extensive fire is destroying Plymouth Woods. About 20,000 acres have been burned over within the past few days, including several hundred cords of cut wood.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 21.—The schooner *Ellen White* was burned last night off Avon Point. The Captain and crew were brought to Cleveland by the screw *Liberty*. The *Ellen White* was loaded with staves, and bound from Detroit to Buffalo. She was valued at $7,000, and insured for $5,000. The other loss is unknown.

NEW-HAVEN, Sept. 21.—The first serious fire in Madison in twenty-five years occurred early this morning. GEORGE MACK's house and outbuildings, in the northern part of the town, were destroyed, together with the furniture. The loss is not ascertained, but will be $6,000 or $8,000.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

First Day of the Cincinnati Exhibition—Fine Display of Machinery, Furniture, &c.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—The Cincinnati Industrial Exposition was formally opened to the public to-night, in the presence of many guests and other visitors. There is an immense quantity of manufactures on exhibition. The display of machinery is grand, though not much of it is yet in place. Among those for working wood and iron Philadelphia, Hartford, New-Haven, Dayton, Zanesville, Hamilton and other places are represented. Band sewing-machines from Philadelphia and from this city are attracting attention among mechanics, though not yet in motion. There are also pleasing and molding machines for wood. There are lathes and planers, shavers, upright drills and other kinds of machinery for working iron. There is an interesting display of steam-pumps and boiler-feeders, portable engines, shingle-cutters, emery-grinders and many things that have not been put in place. No machinery was put in motion today, and there is a great deal yet to arrive. There is such chaos in other things it is almost impossible to give a satisfactory general description of what has arrived. The whole day has been one of extraordinary labor to all concerned. The Committee on Space have been besieged all day by old applicants and new. Many persons are just becoming impressed with the character of the exhibition, and are clamorous for room. They cared little about it a few months ago. The Committee in charge are using every effort to accommodate all that come. Though the floor space is about 102,000 square feet, it is found much more room could have been used. The display of furniture bids fair to be as fine as ever has been seen in the United States, and the show of stoves will be extensive and good.

There is already a great exhibition of household goods of all kinds. There is a large amount of work to do yet. The arrangements will not be completed before the first of next week.

A New Planet Discovered—The One Hundred and Twelfth of the Asteroids.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 21.—The *Morning Herald* of to-morrow will contain a communication from Dr. C. H. F. PETERS, Director of the Litchfield Observatory of Hamilton College, announcing the discovery of another planet, the one hundred and twelfth of the asteroids. The discovery was made Tuesday morning. On Wednesday morning the position of the planet was ascertained, viz.: 23h 9m at right ascension, 3° 37' of north declination. The brightness is that of a fixed star of the eleventh magnitude. It is named "Ianigenia." The planet discovered on the 14th of August has been named "Atalanta."

WASHINGTON.

The Georgia Election Law—Republican Divisions at the South—Lost Stamps to be Replaced—An Abandoned Vessel—New Appointments.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The Election law passed by the Georgia Legislature, yesterday, provides for an election in that State, to be held on the 20th, 21st and 22d days of December next, at which members of Congress will be elected for the unexpired term of the Forty-first and for the whole term of the Forty-second Congress; also, members of the Legislature and county officers. Elections are to be held at the county seat of each county, and are to be managed by a board of five persons, who are to be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. The law bristles all over with sharp provisions designed to secure peace and order at the polls, and to prevent the intimidation of voters. The Sheriffs and other officers are to be under the orders of the election managers, and any such officer refusing to obey such order is liable to a fine of $100. The opening of closed ballots by the managers before the counting is prohibited under a heavy fine, and the managers are required to take a stringent oath that they will conduct the elections in accordance with this law. This act has the full approval of Attorney-General AKERMAN, and under it there is some hope of a fair and free expression at the election which is thus held in obedience to law and public sentiment.

RETURN OF CABINET OFFICERS.

Secretary BELKNAP, accompanied by Mrs. BELKNAP, returned to the city last evening, and the Secretary was at the War Department to-day. Secretaries FISH, BELKNAP and CRESWELL are now in the city, and Messrs. BOUTWELL and ROBESON will be here early next week.

REPUBLICAN DIVISIONS IN THE SOUTH.

The jealousy between the native Republicans in the South and those who have settled there since the war appears to be one of the most disorganizing causes at work in the party in that section, as it has occasioned most of the splits which have threatened the loss of Congressional Districts which ought to have been safe. Information was received here to-night from Richmond that the *Dispatch* of that city to-morrow will publish a call from Judge HAMILTON, of Texas, and Congressman BOOKER, of Virginia, for a convention of native Unionists of the South, to be held at Knoxville, Tenn., on the 1st of November. Such a movement can only have a disorganizing effect, founded as it is upon a distinction that should not be allowed to exist.

A QUESTION OF STAMPS.

A dispatch was received at the Internal Revenue Bureau today from the Collector of Customs at New-Orleans, who says that 200 packages of tobacco had been recovered from the sunken steamer *Tennessee*, the stamps upon which had been obliterated or washed off by the action of the water, and asks if the tobacco can be sold by the underwriters without being restamped, or new ones issued, subject to proof that the packages were originally properly stamped. The acting Commissioner has replied that stamps once affixed are at the risk of the owners or underwriters. The office will not refund the value or reissue stamps spoiled or defaced while in use.

AN ABANDONED VESSEL.

The Collector of Customs at Wilmington, Del., has reported that an abandoned French bark, named the *Guyenne*, of Bordeaux, was found by a coaster, near Cape Henlopen, on the 19th inst., and towed up to Newcastle, Del. She appears to be laden with logwood, hides, &c. No papers were found to indicate the name of her being abandoned. She is held to await instructions from the Treasury Department.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

The President has made the following appointments: JOSEPH P. ROOT, of Kansas, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Chili. JAMES W. TAYLOR, of Minnesota, to be United States Consul at Winnipeg. JOHN P. BARDWELL, of Ohio, to be Agent of the Chippewa Indians of the Mississippi. SELDON N. CLARKE, of Illinois, to be Agent of the Chippewa Indians of Lake Superior.

THE ENGLISH MISSION.

The rumor is in circulation here, to-night, that Hon. BEN. WADE, of Ohio, will succeed Mr. MOTLEY as Minister to England, but, as has been the case for some weeks, no information can be obtained from official authority either for denying or affirming any of the reports which obtain circulation relative to this important subject.

The Episcopal Bishop of New-Hampshire—Consecration at Concord Yesterday.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 21.—Prof. WILLIAM WOODRUFF NILES, of Trinity College, Conn., was today consecrated Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of New-Hampshire, being the first ever consecrated in this State. The bishops and clergymen assembled at a private house near St. Paul's Church, here, at 10 A. M., and, after the transaction of the usual business, moved to the church. The presiding Bishop, B. B. SMITH, of Kentucky, and JAMES W. WILLIAMS, Bishop of Quebec, led the way, followed by other bishops and clergymen, about fifty in number. The usual morning service of the Church were read, the music being under the direction of Rev. JAMES HOUGHTON, of Hanover, and consisting of the boy choirs of St. Paul's School, Concord, and St. John's, Lowell, and the sermon, by Bishop DUPANE, of Albany, was a strong and able doctrinal discourse, dwelling on the catholic features in the Church administration. The Bishop elect was then presented for consecration by Bishops WILLIAMS, of Connecticut, and NEALLEY, of Maine. The church was crowded to its utmost capacity.

Disturbances in South Carolina.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 21.—Much excitement prevails in Laurens County on account of disturbances between the whites and blacks. Both parties are armed and organized. Several colored men have been killed. The Reform Party charge that these disturbances are part of a prearranged plan of the secret leagues to create excitement for political effect. The Republicans indignantly deny the charge. At last accounts all was quiet.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 21.—Gen. SHERMAN reached Portland, Oregon, yesterday, where he met with an enthusiastic reception.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Sept. 21.—A serious conflict is reported between whites and blacks in Laurens County, S. C. In Barnwell County a few nights since, two negroes were murdered and a white man seriously injured by two negroes.

NEW-ORLEANS, La., Sept. 21.—During the twenty-four hours ending at 6 P. M., yesterday, there were 12 deaths from yellow fever. Of this number 7 were natives of Italy, 4 of France, 1 of England and 1 of Illinois.

ST. THOMAS.

Severe Hurricane in the Atlantic—Its Extent—Fears of Steamers.

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 7.—The Royal Mail Company's steamer *Nova* on her passage out from Southampton, came across a severe hurricane on the 9th and 10th of August, about 450 miles north-east of St. Thomas. The diameter of the hurricane was about 250 miles; it traveled in a north-westerly direction, and as the southernmost edge of the circle swept past Sombrero, and the utmost damage about the Virgin Islands, so far reported, was the driving ashore of the smaller boats by the strong wind and heavy swell, it may be hoped that no serious disaster on land will be heard of from its effects, though of this there can be no certainty till Barbadoes and the neighboring islands have been heard from. It is to be feared, however, that in the vast extent of sea the hurricane will travel over, with a diameter of 500 miles, and a journey probably as far to the north-west as Bermuda, (if not also again across the Atlantic to the European coast,) many ships will be caught in it, and many disasters take place, some to be reported, and some perhaps to be heard of, [illegible] and [illegible] from time to time, of "missing ships."

THE TURF.

The Fleetwood Park Trotting Meeting—Second Day—Beat the Winner of the $2,500 Purse for 2:30 Horses.

The Fleetwood Park Association were favored with beautiful weather, yesterday, for the second day's trotting of their Fall meeting, now in progress. There was a large attendance of the patrons of the sport, but the quality of the trotting was inferior to that of the preceding day. There was but one race on the programme, which was for horses that had never beaten 2:30, for a purse of $2,500, the winner taking $1,300, the second horse $600, and the third $600. Six horses were entered for the race—W. BOEKER's (Middletown) b. m. *Lady Whitman*, by *American Star*; M. BOEKER's (New-York) b. g. *Charley Green*; J. MURPHY's (New-York) br. m. *Daniel Boone*; W. CRAMER's (New-York) s. s. *Hickory Jack*; J. M. SELLER's (Philadelphia) b. m. *Mary*, and J. HOLMSHADE's (New-York) b. g. *Captain Gill*. All started except *Daniel Boone*, who was withdrawn. *Mary* had shown herself to be a fast mare in harness, and, although Orange County sent down a strong delegation to back *Lady Whitman*, of whose winning they expressed the most sanguine anticipations, *Mary* held in pools for $100, *Lady Whitman* $50, field $50. In pools sold with the Philadelphia mare left out *Lady Whitman* brought $100, *Charley Green* $60, field $40. In the first heat *Mary* got off badly, but her fine speed soon enabled her to catch up with and pass the leaders, *Captain Gill* and *Charley Green*, and on the backstretch she opened so wide a gap that it was clear the race was hers. She left the field ten lengths at the three-quarter pole, where her driver, MIKE GOODIE, took her in hand, and she jogged home an easy winner in 2:32, much slower than we believe she could do. In the second heat pools were sold without *Mary*, and *Charley Green*, who had been second in the previous heat, sold for $100, against $100 for the field. *Mary* took the lead soon after the horses got the word, and easily outtrotting her opponents, came home an easy winner by three lengths, time, 2:32. *Charley Green* and *Captain Gill* came second and third respectively. When asked if he had beaten the best horse he had met in his lifetime, GOODIE said he was confident that he could do so, but, as he was beaten before, took the field, and he was deprived of it by *Captain Gill*, who headed her to the quarter-pole, where he again resigned the front position to the favorite, who held it throughout, and won the heat and race by three lengths in hollow style; *Charley Green* second, *Captain Gill* third, and *Lady Whitman* last.

Today the purse of $2,500, for horses that never beat 2:30, will be trotted for. The entries are *Lizzie*, *Commodore*, *John J. Bradley*, *H. W. Genet* and *Charles E. Lane*, (formerly *Patchen Chief*.) It will make an unusually interesting race.

SUMMARY.

FLEETWOOD PARK—SECOND DAY, Sept. 21.—Purse $2,500, for horses that never beat 2:30; $1,300 to the first, $600 to the second, and $600 to the third horse; mile heats, three in five, in harness.

M. Goodie's b. m. Mary	1 1 1
M. Boeker's b. g. Charley Green	2 2 2
J. Horsbach's br. g. Captain Gill	3 3 3
W. Boeker's b. m. Lady White cap	4 4 4
J. A. Chambers' s. g. Hickory Jack	5 5 5

Time—2:32, 2:32, 2:34.

Explosion at Jersey City—Fearful Death.

At 5½ o'clock last night two explosions were heard in the lower part of Jersey City, quickly following each other, and smoke was seen issuing from the foundry at the foot of Monmouth-street. On entering the building a fearful sight presented itself. The cupola, containing molten iron, was blown up, the room was filled with smoke, steam and sulphur. Four men were found in the building in an insensible condition. PETER LIVERY, who was in charge of the furnace, was horribly mangled and dying. His limbs were all broken, one of them being torn entirely off. The back of his head was blown out, his face was burned, and the body mangled fearfully. He died in a few hours without having breathed. WM. GREEN was badly burned and otherwise injured; he will recover. The others were only stunned. The foundry belonged to JOHN COBBY, and the explosion was caused by the bursting of a shell. A short time ago a lot of old iron, weighing 3,000 and 4,000 pounds, was thrown into the cupola, and in melting it a number of shells were found. Not knowing whether they were loaded or not, Mr. COBBY ordered the men in charge to throw them in the river. They laughed at his fears, but promised to do so. Yesterday morning the matter was again spoken of, and LIVERY promised to see that it was attended to. Instead of throwing a number of these were thrown into the cupola by LIVERY without the knowledge of the other men, and, upon coming to a red heat, two of them exploded almost simultaneously. From the mangled condition of LIVERY, he must have been thrown against the rear of the side of the building, and he lay on the floor, ten feet from the place at which he was standing before the accident. The building was completely gutted, and the loss of Mr. COBBY will hardly be covered by $3,000. The red-hot and melted metal set fire to the building, and a fire alarm was rung, but the fire was put out by the crowd of people before the arrival of the firemen. LIVERY was about thirty-five years of age, and leaves a large family living at Warren and Mercer streets. GREEN, who was badly burned, was taken to the City Hospital. The accident was the result of carelessness and disobeying orders, and no one is to blame except the man who was killed.

Arrival of a Gang of Nearly One Hundred Coolies at Belleville, N. J.

At midnight on Tuesday night the village of Belleville, north of Newark, was disturbed in its slumbers by the roll of a dozen wagons over the road—an unusual noise for the hour in the quiet town. Two hours before, a gang of nearly one hundred citizens of the Celestial Empire had landed from a freight-car which accompanied their train, boxes and bundles enough to supply a regiment. The strangers, as they moved noiselessly about gathering together their luggage, spoke to each other only in a language that could not be interpreted by the persons connected with the Newark Department of Police. They were dressed in the national costume, their blue blouses, pagodas and pointed wooden shoes forming a marked contrast to the style of dress worn by the lookers-on. The persons who had the yellow men in charge would give no explanation or information as to their destination, or the work they had contracted for their services having given his agents express orders to give no information. This gentleman, Capt. HERVEY, had been troubled by the circulation of a report, several weeks ago, that he intended to discharge his employes and place Chinamen in their places. So to prevent this he had promised, if they would let him deny the report publicly, and the secrecy with which the gang was brought into the vicinity was due to this fact, not less than to the fear that the inoffensive party might be attacked, were they taken openly through the country. At Port Jervis, where they arrived early on Tuesday, they were kept until night, so that their entrance might be made under cover of darkness. Even the conductor and brakemen were not acquainted with the real destination of their passengers, but surmised that they were a part of the large force contracted for by the contractors of the Midland Railroad, and that they were to be taken to Santiago Park, to be sent thence by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western branch to Pompton. Thus the Chinese name "like a thief in the night," and were sent to their future home at Belleville, in wagons. They are to be employed in the great laundry at Belleville, the proprietor, Capt. HERVEY, having entered into a contract with CHAMBERLAIN for their services for a term of years. The establishment of Capt. HERVEY is one of the largest in the country, and gives employment to eighty or ninety hands. The proprietor, a retired sea captain, who has for fifteen or twenty years followed his present business, and has made a handsome fortune thereby, is convinced by long experience that the labor of white girls and men was unsteady and unreliable, and that a great saving would be effected by engaging hands at a stated price for a lengthy period. Learning of the efforts that were being made to introduce Chinese labor into the Eastern and Southern States, he became interested in the subject, and made diligent inquiry relative to the capacity, adaptability and industry of the Chinese laborers. The results of his inquiries was most satisfactory, and he entered into a contract with Mr. KOOMSHEMCHAP for seventy hands, for whose services he agreed to pay $5 per month and rations of rice and fish, the Chinaman to make equal sum. Quarters will be provided for the new help near the large laundry building, and the newly-imported laborers will have things their own way. The men and girls hitherto at work in the factory have been discharged, the successors being as well accustomed to similar work as to be able to commence at once. Considerable excitement has been caused in the vicinity among the laboring people, who have heard of the new inroad of cheap labor, but no demonstrations have yet been made against the new-comers.

The Wax at the Grand Opera-House.

In refutation of certain assertions in regard to the circumstances preceding Mr. MAPLESON's difficulty with Mr. FISK, Jr., yesterday, the former gentleman sends us the subjoined card:

In answer to statements made in certain papers by Mr. JAMES FISK, or in his behalf, that I extorted or received commissions or gratifications from the artists engaged in Europe for the Grand Opera-house, I must simply say that such reports are wholly unfounded. If any of the members of Mr. FISK's "opera-bouffe troupe has ever paid me one dollar, I will thank him or her to come forward publicly and frankly and state when and where the transaction may have taken place. MAX MARETZEK.

MISSISQUOI SPRING WATER.—A fresh supply of this wonderful water just received by JOHN F. HENRY, No. 4 College-place.

Caution.

All persons are hereby cautioned against infringing my letters patent for improvements in printing machines, extended for seven years by act of Congress, dated July 14, 1870. All such persons will be prosecuted according to law. JOHN HACKELTON.

—Advertisement.

NEW-YORK WEEKLY TIMES.

THE NEW-YORK WEEKLY TIMES will be published THIS MORNING, and may be had at the counter of the publication office, in wrappers ready for mailing. Price, 5 cents.

It contains the very latest telegraphic and general news; editorials on quest

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Although the attendance at the Exchange yesterday (Sept. 21) was large, the business transacted was of minor importance, the only property offered being that BY WILLIAM KENNELLY, consisting of twelve City-used lots, located on One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets respectively, between the Boulevard and St. Ann's avenue, or to what is known as the town of Westfoin, in Westchester County. The bidding was not particularly active, and the lots were nominally struck off for $1,075 a piece. The owner places a value of $1,000 each upon them. The sale of two pieces of property advertised for yesterday by ROBERTS & MCGUIRE, one on the south side of Ninetieth-street, 275 feet west of Third-avenue, and the other on the north side of Eighth-street, 175 feet east of Broadway, both legal sales, was postponed until Oct. 6.

Today the most important transaction on the books of the Exchange, a trust noticed by ROBERTS & MCGUIRE, of the leasehold property known as the Gleeham Hotel, in Fifth-avenue, having already been postponed several times, as the sale will probably take place today, quite a large number of interested parties will be in attendance.

To-morrow, in Brooklyn, COLE & MURRAY, auctioneers, will sell at public auction, at their sales-room, No. 379 Fulton-street, the St. Felix Mansion, on the least side of Raymond-street, near Fulton-avenue, and grounds, embracing five lots on Raymond-street and five lots on St. Felix-street. The house, substantially built, is 45 feet 3 inches by 35 feet 8 inches. For maps and terms apply at the office of the auctioneers.

On Tuesday next, LAWRENCE, GARRET & FLEURY are to dispose of seventy-five lots located at North Orange, N. J., and eligibly situated. The sale is to take place at 1 P. M. on the premises, and is peremptory. Full particulars of the proposed sale will be found in the TIMES auction column, and maps can be procured of the firm, No. 45 Pine-street.

In reference to Brooklyn property and the rise of real estate in that city, we publish a table showing the number of buildings erected during the past seven years, together with the assessed valuation of the same. The record is taken from the September real estate bulletin of WOODS & LITTLE, and is a valuable one:

Years.	Dwellings erected each year.	Value.
1864	714	$1,428,000
1865	1,108	1,716,000
1866	1,656	2,650,000
1867	1,837	3,306,000
1868	2,631	4,416,000
1869	2,971	5,051,000
1870	3,000	5,800,000

From the above it will be seen that in the period embraced the number of buildings erected is 11,918, while the assessed value of property has increased nearly four-fold. A gratifying indication of the growth and prosperity of our sister city.

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Roosevelt and Madison sts., n. e. corner, 30x20.6 x25.2 — $8,000
Madison-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of Jackson-st., 50x100, h. and l. — 20,000
Madison-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of Jackson-st., 50x100 — 8,000
Rivington-st., n. s., 53 ft. e. of Avenue B, 24x87 — 12,750
26th-st., n. s., 175 ft. w. of 1st-av., 25x100.10, h. and l. — 17,000
26th-st., n. s., 225 ft. w. of Avenue B, 20x92.11, h. — 8,000
27th-st., n. s., 320 ft. w. of 5th-av., 25.6x98.9, h. and l. — 28,000
27th-st., n. s., 225 ft. w. of 1st-av., 25x100.4 — 23,000
34th-st., n. s., 364 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x100.4, h. and l. — 3,000
42d-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 2d-av., 17x100.4 — 7,000
124th-st., s. s., 150 ft. w. of 1st-av., 25x100.11 — 3,500
125th-st., n. s., 350 ft. w. of 9th-av., 100x99.11, two third share, undivided — 11,600
125th-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 5th-av., 20x100.4, h. and l. — 10,000
126th-st., n. s., 25.4 ft. w. of 8th-av., 51x100 — 25,000
5th-av., s. s., 60.5 ft. n. of 53d st., 18x100 — 45,000

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Brooklyn and Jamaica Plank road, n. s., 800 ft. w. of Patchen-av., 100x972.6 — $23,060
Clermont-av., e. s., 161.5 ft. s. of Willoughby-av., 22x100 — 21,600
Marion-st., n. s., 49 ft. n. e. of Harrison-av., 25x 56x42x30x34 — 3,200
Chestnut-st., n. s., 400 ft. e. of Central-av., 100x72 x100.10x60.1 — 1,140
Clove-rd., n. s., 25 ft. w. of Brooklyn City line, 25x140 — 250
Dove and Catherine sts., n. w. corner, 25x100 — 850
Same property — 975
Monroe-st., n. s., 60 ft. e. of Tompkins-av., 19x 100 — 1,000
Sackett-st., n. s., 108 ft. e. of Bushwick Boule. vard, 27x90 — 2,800
Union-st., n. s., 25 ft. w. of Smith-st., 25x100 — 9,000
Union-st., n. s., 63 ft. w. of Marcy-av., 37x75 — 4,000
Withers-st. and Graham-av., n. e. corner, 100x28 x100x24.6 — 1,000
Warren-st., n. s., 150 ft. w. of Bond-st., 25x100 — 2,000
Withers-st., n. s., 150 ft. w. of Bond-st., 25x100 — 1,800
South 3d-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of 11th-st., 25x96 — 2,100
3d-st., n. s., 250 ft. e. of 4th-av., 25.4x92.6 — 16,000
3d-st., n. s., 300 ft. e. of 4th-av., 16.8x92.6 — 6,000
11th-st., n. s., 275.11 ft. e. of 4th-av., 75x100x92x92.8 x124x4.6 — 4,000
12th-st., n. s., w. s., 87.10 ft. n. e. of 4th-av., 37x100 — 16,000
14th-st., n. s., 87.10 ft. e. of 4th-av., 37x100 — 16,000
4th-av., e. s., between 12th and 14th sts., 200x 100 — 40,000
3d-st. and 4th-av., northerly corner, 16x24 — 400
4th-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of 5th-av., 50x100 — 700
Brooklyn and Jamaica Plank road, n. s., 200 ft. w. of Patchen-av., about 100x972 — 9,100
Second-av., e. s., 100 ft. s. of Warren-st., 100x 200 — 22,000
4th-av., w. s., 1.2 ft. s. w. of Prospect-av., 25.8x 80 — 2,500
8th-av., e. s., 50 ft. s. of Bergen-st., 25x100 — 6,000
8th-av., e. s., 50 ft. s. of Bergen-st., 25x100 — 5,000

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Port Richmond.

Grove-av., corner Sharpe-av., 100x110.6x98.8x118.3 — $800

South Beld.

Adjoining Jesse Morgan, 7¼ acres — $2,100
Adjoining Robt. Tourney, 46 acres — 7,000

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Fletcher-st., n. w. s., 1st No. 120 Washington-st., 25x80 — 1,000
White Plains road and 6th-av., s. w. corner, 50x 200 — 450

Greenburgh.

Paulding-av. and Washington-st., s. e. corner, 50 x100 — $2,000

Mamaroneck.

24-av. and 1st-st., s. e. corner, 50x100 — $800
24-av., e. s., 25 ft. s. of 1st-st., 25x100 — 400

Mount Pleasant.

Pleasantville to Tarrytown road, s. s. adjoining J. O. Hammond's, 14¼ acres — $1,372

Mamaroneck.

Robert S. Haviland's property, 80x180 — $250

Yonkers.

Ashburton-av., s. s., adjoining Mrs. Suydam's, 25x100 — $700

Yorktown.

A Place's Bridge to Crown Pond road, e. s., Geo. Van Kleek's 7 9-10 acres — $400

West Farms.

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Beacon-st., w. s., 120 ft. from South Orange-av., 50x100 — $2,000
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Perry-st., n. s., 124 ft. e. of Schalck-st., 25.12x84 — 1,600
Morris-av., e. s., 150 ft. from West Bank-st., 50x 100 — 1,000
Miller-st., e. s., 118 ft. s. of Avenue A, 25x100 — 600
Monmouth-st., w. s., 100 ft. s. of Waverly-place, 25x94.5 — 6,000

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Walnut-st., w. s., adjoining Condit's property, 400x352 — $7,500
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PEREIRE.....DAURE.....SATURDAY, Oct. 29
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NEVADA, Capt. DERRY.....Oct. 5, at 2 P. M.
COLORADO, Capt. FERGUSON.....Oct. 12, at 2½ P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. WILLIAMS.....Oct. 19, at 9½ P. M.
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MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. ADAMS, (via Nassau,) Oct. 4.
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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS, MO.
ST. LOUIS, July 15, 1870.
To the Honorable the Controller of the Currency, Washington, D. C.:
SIR: It is hereby certified, in pursuance of section 41 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for a national currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof, approved June 3, 1864, that the business of the undersigned at the First National Bank of St. Louis, located at the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, has been filled and held pursuant to law and the articles of association and the notice of the office of said bank, at St. Louis, aforesaid, on the 16th day of July, 1870, it was voted by the stockholders of the said association, owning more than two-thirds of the stock, that said association go into liquidation and be closed on the 16th day of July, 1870.
In testimony whereof I have, by instruction of the Board of Directors of said association, hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said association, at St. Louis, aforesaid, the day and year above written.
[Seal.] CHRISTIAN FISCHBACH, Cashier.
NOTICE.—The First National Bank of St. Louis, organized under the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof, approved June 3, 1864, located in the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is closing up its affairs. All note-holders and other creditors of said association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment.
CHRISTIAN FISCHBACH, Cashier.
St. Louis, Mo., July 16, 1870.

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offers for sale the following first-class
RAILROAD AND MUNICIPAL BONDS:
ALBANY AND SUSQUEHANNA RAILROAD, indorsed by the DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL COMPANY, 7 per cent., due in 1906.
LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, due 1916, 7 per cent. first mortgage.
SOUTHERN MINNESOTA RAILROAD LAND GRANT, 4,000 acres per mile. April and October, 6 per cent., free.
COLUMBUS AND HOCKING VALLEY SINKING FUND, 7 per cent., now complete and earning more than interest. Free of tax and stock.
ELIZABETH CITY IMPROVEMENT BONDS, six years, 7 per cent. interest April and October in New-York.
NEWARK CITY WATER BONDS, six years, 7 per cent. February and August.
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ST. LOUIS AND IRON MOUNTAIN RAILROAD LAND-GRANT BONDS.
PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST (7 PER CENT.) IN GOLD.
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OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE NO. 52 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 12, 1870.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Bond and Stockholders of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, for the election of three Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of service of William K. Aspinwall, Joseph W. Alsop, of New-York, and Levi Anderson, of Cincinnati, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 52 Wall-st., Cincinnati, Ohio, on THURSDAY, Oct. 13, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. The transfer-books will be closed from 3 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of September until 10 o'clock A. M. on the 17th day of October. By order
R. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 12 PINE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 7, 1870.
CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND BONDS.—Notice is hereby given that we have this day designated by lot twenty-four bonds, numbered as follows: 172, 18, 135, 293, 242, 23, 219, 129, 277, 231, 62, 262, 108, 264, 203, 211, 198, 256, 268, 139, 159, 178, 187, 234, of $1,000 each, for redemption.
According to the terms of the mortgage, interest thereon will cease Nov. 1, 1870. The undersigned are ready to pay them with interest, so far as accrued, on presentation and surrender.
S. J. TILDEN, No. 12 Wall-st.
L. H. MEYER, No. 21 Nassau-st.

BOSTON, HARTFORD AND ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY.—NOTICE.—The transfer-books of the Boston, Hartford and Erie Railroad Company will be reopened at the office of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, corner of William-st. and Exchange-place, New-York City, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 28, 1870. By order,
FREDERICK A. LANE, President.

FINANCIAL.

THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE
SECURITY BANK
OF THE
CITY OF NEW-YORK
Having proved a decided success, it has been unanimously resolved by the Board of Directors to
DOUBLE THE CAPITAL STOCK,
(in accordance with provisions of the Charter,) in order to meet the increasing business of the Bank.
A Subscription Book is ordered to be opened on the FIRST DAY OF OCTOBER, 1870, at the Banking-house,
No. 319 Broadway.
Over $150,000 of the New Stock is already taken. Friends of the Bank desiring to obtain the Shares at par, should make application at once. Payments of 10 per cent. of the amount subscribed may be made on the 10th of October, November and December respectively, and the balance, 70 per cent., on the 10th day of January, 1871.
WITH A PAID-UP CAPITAL OF
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Which can be further increased, as business requires, to the limit of
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The President and Directors have confidence in offering to the public the facilities of their institution.
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JOSEPH U. ORVIS, President.
BENJAMIN H. DREWEY, Cashier.
No. 319 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Sept. 20, 1870.

8 per Cent. Interest
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Principal and Interest Payable in Gold.
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Irving Savings Institution,
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Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE OCT. 1
Will draw interest from that date at 6 per cent. on all amounts.
W. W. CONCELLIN, PRESIDENT.
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All deposits made on or before Oct. 1 will draw interest from that date. $1 to $5,000 received.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID.

THIRD-AVENUE SAVINGS BANK,
Corner 34-st. and 2d-av.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.,
And on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock.
MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
No. 203 Bowery, near Houston-st.
Six per Cent. Interest allowed on all sums from $5 to $10,000.
Money deposited on or before Oct. 1, will draw interest from that date.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Monday's and Wednesday's from 10 to 7.
ALFRED T. CONKLIN, President.
HENRY C. FISHER, Secretary.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK.
Nos. 200 and 202 Canal-st., corner Laight-st.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ON $5 TO $5,000.
Money deposited now will draw interest from Oct. 1.
ASSETS, $7,758,946.96.
W. J. HARRIS, JOHN MCLEAN, President.
W. S. WHITLOCK, C. S. CRAPIN, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents. T. B. ARMOUR, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK,
Nos. 1 and 3 Astor-pl., opposite Cooper Institute.
SIX PER CENT. interest allowed on all sums of $5 and upward. $1 received.
INTEREST COMMENCES OCT. 1, and is payable in January.
Bank open from 10 to 3 daily, and on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 8 P. M.

DIVIDENDS.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE interest on the Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New-York due Nov. 1, 1870, will be paid on that day by JOHN C. BRADLEY, Esq., Chamberlain of the City, at his office, in the new Court-house.
The transfer-books will be closed Saturday, Sept. 24, 1870.
RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Controller.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 20, 1870.

CHICAGO, DANVILLE AND VINCENNES RAILROAD CO., NO. 36 PINE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 17, 1870.
THE INTEREST COUPONS OF THE First Mortgage Bonds of the Chicago, Danville and Vincennes Railroad Company, due Oct. 1, will be paid IN GOLD on and after that date, upon presentation at the office of the Company, No. 36 Pine-st.
F. E. JONES, Secretary.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 1, 1870.
THE INTEREST MATURING OCT. 1, 1870, on the bonds of the State of South Carolina, will be paid in gold on and after Oct. 1, at the banking house of H. K. Kimpton, the financial agency of the State, No. 9 Nassau-st., New-York.
NILES G. PARKER,
Treasurer State South Carolina.

THE COUPONS DUE OCT. 1, ON Arkansas State Bonds issued to railroad companies, will be paid on and after that date on presentation at the banking-house of Farnham, Gilbert & Co., No. 5 Wall-st.
D. B. BICKELS,
Financial Agent State of Arkansas.

THE COUPONS OF THE INDIANAPOLIS, Bloomington and Western Railroad Bonds due Oct. 1, will be paid in gold, free of tax, on and after that date, at the banking-house of TURNER BROS., No. 14 Nassau-st., New-York.
G. R. GRIGGS, President.

NO. 52 EXCHANGE-PLACE,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 20, 1870.
THE INTEREST DUE OCT. 1 ON bonds of the Oregon and California Railroad Company will be paid at our office on and after that date.
DABNEY, MORGAN & CO.

THE COUPONS OF THE DANVILLE, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin Railroad Bonds, due Oct. 1, will be paid in gold, free of tax, on and after that date, at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, New-York.
G. R. GRIGGS, President.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

A PRIVATE FAMILY WILL LET floor, to gentleman or gentleman and wives; unexceptionable references given and required. Apply at No. 109 West 23d-st.

AN ENTIRE SECOND-FLOOR, HANDSOMELY furnished, with or without private table, suite third, double room, fourth floor; house first-class, near Broadway; references exchanged. No. 27 West 26th-st.

PLEASANT AND NICELY FURNISHED rooms to let, with first-class board, to families or single gentlemen; accommodations all that can be desired; references exchanged; terms moderate. Call at No. 149 West 27th-st., near 7th-av.

A PRIVATE FAMILY OFFER LARGE, handsomely-furnished rooms, en suite or singly, to families and single gentlemen; references. No. 14 East 19th-st.

THIRTY-FOURTH-ST., NEAR 6TH-AV.—An elegant suite of rooms, on second floor, to let, with private table. Address R. S., Box No. 124 Times Office.

PLEASANT SUITE OF ROOMS IN FIRST, second and third stories to rent with board at No. 17 West 27th-st.; also a large room on the fourth floor. References exchanged.

NO. 158 EAST 34TH-ST.—A SUITE OF three rooms, second floor, handsomely furnished, together or separately, with board and the comforts of a private residence.

NO. 26 WEST 19TH-ST.—HANDSOMELY-furnished rooms, on second and third floors, suitable for a party of gentlemen, or families; house and table first-class; family small.

NO. 19 5TH-AV., THIRD DOOR ABOVE Brevoort House—Handsomely furnished rooms to rent to gentlemen; with or without board, en suite or singly. Best of references required.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—TO A single gentleman, in a private family, at No. 48 East 35th-st., between 4th-av. and Broadway; references exchanged.

GRAMERCY PARK.—NO. 145 EAST 20TH-st., handsomely furnished floors suitable for families with private table, if desired; also single rooms for gentlemen; house near location first-class.

PARTIES DESIRING FIRST-CLASS BOARD will find handsomely-furnished rooms, en suite or single, at No. 132 Madison-av., second door above 30th-st.

NO. 53 WEST 33D-ST., BETWEEN Broadway and 6th-av.—Large, well-furnished rooms on third and fourth floors; superior board; references required; no children taken.

NO. 316 20TH-ST., NEAR 3D-AV.; HANDsomely furnished rooms, to a gentleman and wife, or single gentleman, in a private family, where the comforts of home can be had.

A HANDSOME SUITE OF APARTMENTS on parlor floor, with private table, in a private house. Apply at No. 205 4th-av., south-west corner 21st-st.

NO. 54 EAST 25TH-ST., NEAR Madison-av.—An elegantly furnished suite of rooms with table-d'hôte board to let to gentleman and wife or single gentleman, in a private family.

NO. 31 MADISON-AV.—A SUITE OF fine rooms, on second floor, with or without private table.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET EN suite or single; private family; house and surroundings first-class. No. 113 East 17th-st.

TWO SQUARE ROOMS WITH HOT AND cold water to let to gentlemen with or without board; references. Apply at No. 163 East 34th-st.

TO RENT—A NUMBER OF FINELY FURnished rooms for gentlemen. Apply, at KILDUFF'S, corner of 44th-st. and 6th-av.

COUNTRY BOARD.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FOR FALL AND Winter; three or four rooms; with board, at a pleasant farm-house eighty miles from the City; high land, healthy location; terms moderate. Address E. R., Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y.

BOARD WANTED.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN, WIFE and two children, in a private family, a suite of rooms, between 23d and 27th-sts., above 5th-av., with good board; references exchanged. Address R. P., Box No. 140 *Times* Office.

DRY GOODS.

BOYS' AND
YOUTHS' BOOTS AND SHOES
AT CANTRELL'S, NO. 241 4TH-AV.
ESTABLISHED 1819.
NEW-YORK DYEING AND PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT,
WORKS ON STATEN ISLAND.
No. 99 Duane-st., } New-York.
No. 1768 Broadway, }
Nos. 166 and 168 (new nos.) Pierrepont-st., Brooklyn.
No. 40 North 5th-st., Philadelphia.
This old and well-known Company, now in the second half-century of its existence, are prepared, as usual, to dye, cleanse and finish every variety of ladies', gentlemen's and children's garments, and piece goods, in their usual superior manner.
NOTE—THE ABOVE ARE OUR ONLY OFFICES.

MILLINERY.

PARIS MILLINERY.
ESTABLISHED 1841.
MME. FERRERO,
No. 6 Lafayette-place,
Will open on THURSDAY, Sept. 22, the new and leading styles of Fall and Winter Millinery.

MME. GALOUPEAU,
Late MATHILDE & CO., No. 52 East 10th-st., near Broadway, New-York, will open her importation of Paris millinery, for the Fall season, on THURSDAY, Sept. 22, 1870.

E. MATHERS & CO., NO. 801 BROADway, will have their opening of Fall and Winter French Bonnets and Elegant Round Hats, on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 21 and 22. E. MATHERS & CO., No. 801 Broadway, between 16th and 17th sts.

GEORGE SLOANE, BROADWAY AND 19TH-ST., will open on Tuesday, Sept. 20, French Hats and Bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed, Millinery goods, &c.

GRAND EXPOSITION OF NEW AND elegant designs in Fall and Winter styles, at Mme. DEMOREST'S Emporium of Fashion, No. 473 Broadway, on Thursday, Sept. 22.

C. M. OLNEY & CO. WILL EXHIBIT on the latest novelties in French Millinery on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, Sept. 21 and 22, No. 30 East 14th-st.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST.—A JEWELED BUTTERFLY, COMposed of diamonds, rubies and sapphires, has been lost by Mlle. Christine Nilsson, returning from Steinway Hall, through Irving-place, 14th-st. and 4th-av. to Clarendon Hotel. The finder will be handsomely rewarded. MAX STRAKOSCH, Everett House.

STOLEN—SEPT. 8—A BAY PACING MARE, with white star, 15.1 high, with buggy, enamel top, no side curtains, some parts broken, but wheels quite new; when taken was painted black. Any one returning above to R. RIKETTS, Rye Depot, N. Y., will be suitably rewarded.

FOUND—ON 3D OF SEPTEMBER, IN AN East-Broadway car, a SUM OF MONEY, which the owner can have by calling, and paying expenses, at 14th-st. and Avenue B.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against THOMAS ANDREWS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at the office of Mahlon Apgar, one of the Executors, No. 72 Dey-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 15th day of January next.—Dated, New-York, the 27th day of June, 1870.
MARY ELIZABETH ANDREWS,
MAHLON APGAR,
SAMUEL TOOKE,
Executors.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against PETER I. NEVIUS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their office, No. 41 Sandford-pl., in the City of New-York, on or before the 8th day of January next.—Dated New-York, the 8th day of June, 1870.
GEORGE I. NEVIUS,
JOHN E. NEVIUS,
Executors, &c.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against HALIBURTON FALES, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of business, No. 34 Waverley-place, in the City of New-York, on or before the 10th day of December next.—Dated New-York, the 5th day of June, 1870.
SAML. W. BRIDGHAM, Executor.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against SAINT ROSE REYNAL, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his office, No. 37 Pine-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 16th day of September next.—Dated New-York, the 16th day of March, 1870. JEAN PIERRE JULES REYNAL,
Executor.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WOOD GIBSON, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his office at the store of Wood Gibson, Jr., No. 788 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 16th day of September next.—Dated New-York, the 16th day of March, 1870.
JAMES BLAKLEY,
Executor.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against HENRY J. WILLIAMS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his residence, No. 178 West 11th-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of March next.—Dated New-York, the 16th day of September, 1870.
CALVIN C. FOYLE, Executor.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ELIPHALET BOOTMAN, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of business, No. 21 Cort

AMERICAN SHIP-BUILDING

A Mew Iron Steam-Ship—The Wyanoke of the Old Dominion Line—Description of the Vessel.

The arrival at her pier in this City, on Sunday last, of the new iron side-wheel steamship Wyanoke, just finished at Wilmington, Del., for the Old Dominion Steam-ship Company, is an event of interest in the present depressed state of American ship-building interests. The new steamer is constructed entirely of iron, and finished and fitted up in the most perfect manner. She is of 2,087 69-100 tons burden, and built at a cost of nearly $200,000. She will compare favorably with any ship of a similar class hailing from the other side of the Atlantic. Her builders are HARLAN & HOLLINGSWORTH, of Wilmington, Del., and the manner in which the work has been completed speaks well for the skill of the firm. Her model was drawn by WM. POULKES, of the firm of LAWRENCE & POULKES, ship-builders, of Williamsburg, from whose yard the *Isaac Bell*, of this same line, was turned out, while the design for the engines of the new vessel and the specifications for the ironwork were furnished by HERMAN WINTEN, constructing engineer of this City. The steamer is 265 feet in length with a breadth of beam of forty feet, draw ing when laden about 12 feet of water. Her keel was laid in November last, and on Sunday she arrived in New-York on her first trip, the trial having proven eminently satisfactory, as she showed a speed of fourteen miles per hour. The engines are 1,000 horse-power, and were furnished by the same firm which constructed the ship.

The *Wyanoke* has accommodations for 100 first-class passengers, and sixty steerage, while the carrying capacity for freight is large, being equal to 15,000 barrels, or 2,500 bales of compressed cotton. She is to run between this City and Richmond, stopping at Norfolk and City Point. The time will be about forty hours, and the round trip will be made once a week, the new steamer leaving this port every Saturday, sailing from New-York for Richmond for the first time on Saturday next. The *Wyanoke* is the largest ship now on this route, and the largest iron vessel ever built by the Wilmington firm.

The new vessel has elevators for loading and unloading the cargo. These are situated amidships, and by means of them goods can be lowered into the hold at a great saving of labor and expense. The accommodations for passengers are very fine, and consist of two tiers of staterooms on the main and upper decks respectively. All the space below the main deck is reserved for freight. The cabin or dining-hall is handsomely paneled in satin and rosewood, elegantly furnished, with a seating capacity for seventy-two persons. In all her appointments the ship is first-class. The steerage accommodations are also worthy of note, one side being devoted exclusively to the use of females, large numbers of which, particularly colored servants, availing themselves of this method of reaching New-York. The provisions made for their comfort in this ship are ample and liberal. The officers' state-rooms are upon the upper deck, while on the main deck below are the Purser's office, barber shop, bar-room, Steward's pantries, ice-house, wash-room, &c. The officers of the *Wyanoke* are as follows: Captain, H. A. Simonne; Executive Officer, Samuel Lawrence; Second Officer, Mr. Earnest; Purser, Wm. Caldwell; Chief Engineer, Geo. W. Sloste; Steward, James Booth, and a crew of forty-five men. Capt. BOURNE was formerly commanding officer of the *Isaac Bell*, and to him great credit is due, as under his supervision the new vessel has been completed.

The Old Dominion Steam-ship line is comparatively a new company. Organized at the close of the late war, the first vessel was placed on the line in July, 1865, just after the fall of Richmond. The capital of the Company is $600,000, and five first-class steam-ships are now owned, the entire earnings of the Company having been devoted to building new ships. The President of the Company is N. L. MCCready.

THE BOOK TRADE-SALES.

Sixth Day—Miscellaneous Works of Native and Foreign Authors—Fewer Dealers and More Rapid Sales.

The sixth day's sale at LEAVITT & STREIGHT's auction rooms in Clinton Hall, Astor-place, opened yesterday with the invoice of FIELDS, OSGOOD & Co., of Boston, comprising AGASSIZ's works on "Natural History" and "Journeys in South America;" MATTHEW ARNOLD'S works, JANE AUSTEN'S works, BROWNING'S, TENNYSON'S, BRYANT'S, DE QUINCEY'S, DICKENS', ELIOT'S, EMERSON'S, HAWTHORNE'S, O. W. HOLMES', LONGFELLOW'S, J. R. LOWELL'S, MEREDITH'S, and other authors. The attendance of buyers was not so large as on previous days, but the bidding was more spirited and the prices obtained equally as good, and in some instances better. AGASSIZ's works, in different styles, brought from 95 cents to $4 25—the price of his "Travels in Brazil" and "Geological Sketches" in half calf, 16mo; ELIZABETH AKERS' "Poems" ranged from $1 to $1 50; ALDRICH'S "Poems," 95 cents to $1 25. The "Atlantic Monthly," bound in cloth, 65 cents a volume, retails for $3. JANE AUSTEN'S works, 12mo, brought 95 cents each; ROBT. BROWNING'S works brought 95 cents and $1, save the half calf style, which sold for $2 10, its retail price being $3 50. WM. CULLEN BRYANT'S "Iliad," 8vo, $3, and half calf, $5 75. The "British Poets," 120 vols., half calf extra, $1 50 per volume; in cloth, 67½ and 80 cents. CARLETON'S (correspondent "Boston Journal") works, 65 cents to $1 75. ALICE CAREY'S "Poems," cloth, illustrated, $1 30; antique morocco, $2 25. L. MARIA CHILDS' "Looking Toward Sunset," $1 70 to $2 25. The "Companion Poets," antique morocco, a $5 book, sold for $2 60 and $3; DANA'S "Two Years Before the Mast," brought 87½, 95 and 65 cents, on different calls, considered good for a book that retails at $1 50; DR QUINCEY'S works ranged from 70 to 75 cents each; DICKENS' from 60 cents to $1 30 per volume of the Diamond edition, and 80 cents to $1 75 for the Dickens edition; the same, two volumes in one, crimson cloth, brought $1 05, and half calf, $2 12½; the Household edition of the same, $1 15 and 95 cents; DICKENS' "Christmas Carol," illustrated, full gilt, $2 60 and $3, and his works, original edition, 75 cents; each ANNA DICKINSON'S "Story of Today" sold for 50 and 37 cents, the retail price being $1 50; GEORGE ELIOT'S novels, Household edition, 60 cents to $1 62½; EMERSON'S works sold from 75 cents to $1 50; FORSTER'S "Walter Savage Landor's Biography," half calf, a $5 book, sold for $3. "Good Company for Every Day in the Year," a $4 book, sold for $2. GRACE and JAMES GREENWOOD'S works ran from 60 to 45 cents; GAIL HAMILTON'S brought 90 cents, except her "Red Letter Days," illustrated, which brought $1 40, the retail price being but $1 50, and her "Woman's Wrongs," a $1 50 book, which went for 90 cents. HAWTHORNE'S works brought from 70 cents to $2 12½ per volume. Dr. HAYES' "Arctic Journey" sold for $1 85, $2 50 book, and his "Cast Away in the Cold," 95 and 77½ cents. T. W. HIGGINSON'S "Army Life," 16mo, ran from 65 to 30 cents, and G. S. HILLARD'S "Six Months in Italy," $1 12½. OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES' works brought from 10 cents to $1 07½, the majority ranging from 60 to 95 cents a volume. "Tom Brown's School Days at Rugby," illustrated, sold for 75 cents, and "Tom at Oxford," 80 and 90 cents; the same in half calf, $1 90; LEIGH HUNT'S "Poetical Works," 72½ cents to $1 15; the "Hymns of The Ages," illustrated, all $3 50 books, sold for 50 cents; CHARLES KINGSLEY'S works brought $1 25 to $1 75, the retail price being $1 50 and $1 75 per volume; "The Mystery of Edwin Drood," paper, went off for 17½ cents; LONGFELLOW'S works commanded very fair prices, ranging from 75 to $1 62½, according to style and binding; his "Wayside Inn," illustrated by GILBERT, however, brought $4 50, and his "Hyperion," large quarto, illustrated with photographs, and bound in antique morocco, brought $12 50, the retail price being $25; his "Building of the Ship," in full morocco, a $5 40 book, brought $2 62½ and $2 50.

The poems and miscellaneous works of JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL were next offered, and ranged in price from 80 cents to $2 10—a few of the commoner sort going for 20 to 30 cents. OWEN MEREDITH'S works, 850 volumes, sold for prices ranging from 60 cents to $5 75, this latter being for the antique morocco style of "Lucile," new edition, with illustrations. The same book, Redfield edition, in full morocco, brought $4 25, and in half calf, $3 62½. JOHN STUART MILL'S work "On Liberty," ran from 60 to 75 cents; retail for $1 50. MUNFORD'S "Miracles," a $2 book, brought $1 10, and Miss MULOCK'S "Poems" ran from 77½ cents to $1 15. MURDOCH & RUSSELL'S "Cultivation of the Human Voice," sold for 62½ cents; retails for $1 25. MURRAY'S "Camp Life in the Adirondacks," which created such a sensation a few months ago, tourists' edition, with maps, sold for $1 05. NORTON'S (CHARLES ELIOT,) translation of DANTE'S "New Life," a $5 volume, sold for $3 12½. At 4 P. M., Mr. PRATT relieved Mr. LEAVITT, and started off with Miss E. STUART PHELPS' work, 75 cents of which, "Hedged In," at 90 cents, there was a wonderful demand, and 150 copies sold; retail price, $1 50. The "Poetry of Compliment and Courtship" sold for $1 10, and the "Progress of the Ages," uniform with the "Hymns of the Ages" and by the same authors, brought $1 10; its retails for $3 50. PRESCOTT'S "History and Practice of the Telegraph," a $3 book, brought $1 15.

CHARLES READE'S novels sold from 25 to 60 cents a copy, and MAYNE REID'S tales from 20 to 60 cents. ROBERTSON'S "Sermons, Lectures and Letters" brought from 37 to 60 cents a volume, and DR SCHMITZ'S "Roman History" $1 20 and $1 12½. Sir WALTER SCOTT'S "Ivanhoe," in different styles, ranged from 25 cents to $1 50. Although the catalogue of this firm brought, on the whole, very good prices, the more expensive styles of SCOTT'S works did not meet the general expectation. The demand being for the cheaper editions, the higher-priced books that retail for $2 a volume sold for 85 cents, and $3 50 books for 97½ cents, and so on in proportion—the last-named prices including some of SHAKESPEARE'S works. Mrs. SILSBEE'S "Memory and Hope," 8vo, full morocco, a $7 book, sold for $3 75, and J. D. SHERWOOD'S "Comic History of America," with illustrations, a $2 50 book, brought $1 25. SAMUEL SMILES' "Life of Stephenson," "Self-help," &c., brought 75 cents. Lots of dollar books went for 35 cents each. STEDMAN'S Poems, in full calf, $3 books, sold for $2 cents each. Mrs. HARRIET BEECHER STOWE'S works, of which 400 volumes were offered, brought 80 cents to $1 25, and good demand for them; for "Lady Byron's Vindication" one cent was offered, and it sold as low as 15 cents. The invoices sold on Tuesday, the report of which was unavoidably crowded out, was one of the largest and most important offered since the sale began. The sale opened with G. P. PUTNAM & SONS' publications, their Sunnyside edition of IRVING'S works running from $1 40 to $2 37½; Riverside edition, 11 05 to $1 95, and the People's edition, of which 634 volumes were sold for seventy-five cents. WHITTIER'S works, which closed up the invoice of TICKNOR, CROSBY & Co., ran from $5 40 to $7, according to style. LEAVITT & ALLEN BROS.' catalogue, consisting largely of juvenile, poetical and miscellaneous books, mostly moderate-priced books, wound up the day's sale. Today the auctioneers will begin with J. R. TILTON & Co.'s (of Boston) invoice, including agricultural works and others of a miscellaneous character.

The evening sale opened at 4½ o'clock, with TENNYSON'S "Poetical Works," in different styles, plain and illustrated. There was an increase of buyers, in anticipation of a rush, and the bidding was the most spirited of any during the day. These books sold for prices ranging from $1 75 to $2 in the better class, and from 75 to 95 cents for the inferior. "Thackeray's Novels," 6 volumes, in green morocco cloth, silt back and sides, household edition, sold for 76 cents a volume; retail price, $1 25; the same, in berges, brought from 71 to 75 cents. "Thackeray's Miscellanies," uniform with the above in style and price, brought 72 and 75 cents each, some of them bound in half calf, which ran to $1 05. IRVING'S "Life of Washington," an ever-popular work, was sold for $3, the retail price being $5, and 100 copies were disposed of. The same author's "Washington and the Revolution," of which 100 copies were sold, brought $1 50, retail price $3 50. MOLTKE'S "Geology and Revelation" brought $1 25; retails for $2 50. KENNAN'S "Tent Life in Siberia," 12mo, with a map, just published, brought $1 25; retails for $1 75.

Dr. JOHN TODD'S "Index Rerum," a common place book designed for students and professional men, 4to, super paper, half morocco, cloth, improved style, were greatly in demand, and fifty-one copies were sold at $3 each, the retail price being $5. "The Still Hour; or Communion with God," a charming book, by Prof. ALMON FARRIS, went off in a hurry, 218 copies being sold at 30 cents; trade price, 60 cents.

HUGH MILLER'S works, 100 sets of 10 volumes each, cloth, in boxes, uniform style, $6 50 a set, just half the trade price; 1,000 volumes sold. One hundred copies of "Muller's Life of Trust," brought 90 and 95 cents; trade price, $1 75. The invoice of SHELDON & Co., of No. 500 Broadway, (standard works,) was then offered. "Byron's Poetical Works" sold from $1 60 to $1 12½ a volume; "Shakespeare's Works," from the text of GEORGE STEVENS, sheep, marbled edges, $1 75, and in turkey morocco, extra-rendered paper, $3 87½; "Moore's Works," $1 75 to $4.

Dr. KALTSCHMIDT'S "Latin-English Dictionary," 16mo, half leather, a $2 50 book, sold for $1 45; BULLION'S "Latin-English Lexicon," royal 8vo, 1,400 pages, a $5 book, brought $3 75; "The Annotated Paragraph Bible," issued by the London Religious Tract Society, an 8vo book, brought $4 37½. A lot of miscellaneous books then sold for 47½ to 22½ cents a volume. REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER'S "Life Thoughts" taking the last-named price.

Among the high-priced books offered by Messrs. SCRIBNER & Co., in the evening, were "Womankind in Europe," by BUSH, 1 volume, quarto, extra cloth, gilt sides and edges, $5 50, trade price $12 50; "The Annotated Book of Common Prayer," a $15 book, sold for $7 50 on first call and $9 62½ second. BRIGHWELL'S "Condordance to Tennyson," a $10 50 book, brought $6; $7 50 and $5 75; WALCOTT'S "Sacred Archæology," a $10 work, sold for $3 25; and a "Treatise on Coast Defense," the trade price of which is $15 75, brought but $4 50 and no demand for it; the "Golden Library," five volumes, containing the speeches of BRIGHT, DISRAELI, GLADSTONE and CARLYLE, brought but 17½ cents; CARLYLE'S works, 18 volumes, sold for $2 40 and $2 25; MCCULLOCH'S "Dictionary," in cloth, sold for $12 75 and $12 50 a volume, and in half Russia at $16.

The Dental Convention—The Subjects Discussed.

The American Dental Association began its sixteenth annual session at 10 A. M. on Tuesday last. The organization was effected by selecting Dr. J. G. AMBLER, of this City, as President, and Dr. J. H. SMITH, of New-Haven, as Secretary. The subjects to be discussed during the sessions of the Convention are: 1. "Dental Education;" 2. "The Best Protection for Exposed Nerves;" 3. "Inflammatory Diseases of the Gums, producing Waste of the Sockets and Loosening of the Teeth—their Cause and Treatment;" 4. "Contour Fillings;" 5. "Artificial Dentures;" 6. "Miscellaneous Subjects."

The latter paper presented to the Convention was by the President, on Tuesday evening, the subject of which was, "The deleterious effects of mercury in syrgodesm on the dental organ and tissues, and the mode in which patients so affected should be treated."

At the morning session, yesterday, Dr. AMBLER in the Chair, Dr. ATKINSON, of this City, read a paper on the best mode of imparting instruction to students in dentistry. He contended that the best teacher was he who had the most facile means of impressing his knowledge on the mind of the pupil; and that one of the chief requirements of the instructor was to be thoroughly conversant with the needs and requirements of the times.

Further discussion on this subject was had by Drs. LYONS, HARVIN and LATIMER, all of whom agreed in the main with the view taken by Dr. ATKINSON.

The next subject taken up was "The best protection for exposed nerves." The discussion on this subject had not proceeded far, when the hour of 1 P. M. arrived, and the Convention adjourned.

The delegates having been invited by the New-York and Brooklyn District Dental Society, through Dr. JARVIS, to visit the Fair of the American Institute, they went thither and spent the afternoon, an adjournment till 7½ P. M. being agreed to.

At the evening session it was announced that the best protection for exposed pulp was still the subject under discussion, when Dr. HARVIN opened the exercises. He used, he said, the shavings of a quill softened with kreosote, with which he covered the exposed portion, without filling the cavity. He considered this better than any other substance, because it absorbed the fluid, and was not too rigid. He would never use a metallic contour, and peak gold over it. He believed that pulp had been destroyed by this means, in many instances. Gold-plate was objectionable because of its rigidity and its liability to injure the surrounding gum. When to apply a capping to an exposed pulp was another important question. If it had just been exposed, and no blood could be drawn from it, there was no danger in applying the cap; but, if the case be an old one, it is useless. He never had seen it beneficially applied in such a case, and never expected to.

Dr. LATIMER spoke in favor of using oxy-chloride of zinc as an excellent article for capping. He would always have the pulp, and would only remove it when failure was made a fact. He saved at least one-tenth of the cases he treated in this manner.

Dr. FULLER favored the use of cotton saturated with kreosote. With this the cavity may be filled in many cases with success.

Dr. C. E. LAYMAN favored the use of oxy-chloride of zinc, because, from his experience, even when the pulp did die, the natural color of the tooth remained.

Dr. SEARLE found neuralgia sometimes proceeding from capped teeth. He relieved this by drilling on the nerve. He thought that uniform success followed the judicious and careful use of the oxy-chloride of zinc.

Dr. JARVIS resumed the discussion by recommending that no material should be placed in the cavity made by the shrinking of the pulp, after blood has been taken from it. He would have no free kreosote in the cavity. It would necessarily become filled with fluid.

The subject of "Contour Fillings" was then taken up.

Dr. MARSHALL said contour fillings looked pretty, filled up the rotundity of the teeth nicely, &c., but they were objectionable, if for no other reason than that they looked too much like jewelry in the mouth.

Dr. WEEKS took an opposite view. Jewelry might be useful as well as ornamental, as witness a watch-guard.

Mr. J. B. RICH, of New-York, thought it very desirable to restore a decayed tooth to its original contour; but a mass of gold attached to a front tooth was a disgusting sight to any one of refined taste.

Dr. HURD, of Williamsburg, said that he had had patients request him to put gold filling in a place where it would show. Tastes differ. A well-contoured tooth was not an unsightly object to him. Nothing, in his opinion, was equal to gold for filling decayed or broken teeth.

The Convention, at 10 P. M., adjourned till this morning at 10 o'clock.

Crimes and Casualties.

On Tuesday evening, PATRICK MCCABE was standing at the corner of Thirtieth-street and Sixth-avenue, when he was accosted by a girl of bad character, named FRANCES DAVIS. Some angry words ensued, when the latter drew a penknife, with which she stabbed MCCABE in the arm, inflicting a painful wound. She was brought up at the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday, before Judge FOWLER, and committed for examination.

JACOB COHEN, aged seventeen, was committed for trial at the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, for obtaining various sums of money from L. GOTTHOLD, No. 202 Ninth-avenue, and others, on the pretense that he was commissioned to borrow by his mother, who keeps a boarding-house in West Sixteenth-street.

WILLIAM BURRS, Superintendent in the food department of the Third-avenue Railroad, was arraigned at the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, before Judge FOWLER, on a charge of outraging MARY SAYRES, who resides at No. 3 Houston-street. The warrant having been issued by Judge COX, Judge FOWLER refused to proceed in the case, and committed the prisoner temporarily.

Coroner ROLLINS was notified, yesterday, that the body of FRANK DONNELLY, aged thirty-

[illegible] was found in the East River, at the foot of [illegible] on the Thirty-fourth-street ferry-boat, on Friday night, and it is believed that he fell overboard and was drowned, for he has been missing ever since. He lived at No. [illegible] East-[illegible]-street, whither his remains have been taken, by permission of Mr. JOHN F. SMITH, Clerk to the Board of Coroners.

ADAM SELLMAN, aged thirty-eight, was found dead in his bed at No. 228 Seventh-street, yesterday morning. Coroner ROLLINS was notified.

Coroner SCHMITTBERGER was notified, yesterday, to hold an inquest on the body of Mr. F. J. WALTER, who was found dead in a Fifty-third-street tenement, Tenth-ward. [illegible]

HANGING WITHOUT A FALL.—[illegible] was found in the yard of No. [illegible] Mulberry-street, yesterday, by the explosion of a gas-meter. She died yesterday at noon. Coroner ROLLINS was notified.

Yesterday, before Justice HOGAN, committed CATHARINE, alias Kate, KESSLER, a notorious shop-lifter, and SEBASTIAN MULLER, for having entered the store of HOBT. L. SMITH, No. 124 Fulton-street, yesterday, and stolen two coats worth $37.

Coroner ROLLINS was notified yesterday that GEORGE LAEMMAN, aged sixty-five years, and residing at No. 148 Bedford-street, had committed suicide by taking Paris green. It appears that his wife, to whom he had been married upward of thirty-five years, abandoned him, taking with her nearly all the household effects, leaving him destitute. The cause of her desertion was that GEORGE drank too much on several occasions and abused her. Since her departure he has frequently implored her to return, but in vain, wherefore, in his despair, he took his own life.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

Testimony was taken before Commissioner BETTS, yesterday, in the case of HENRY BALCOLM, and was subsequently submitted to Judge BLATCHFORD. Counsel for BALCOLM obtained a writ of habeas corpus for his client, who enlisted in the navy some time ago. He represented in his petition that BALCOLM was intoxicated at the time, and asked for his discharge on that ground. Decision was reserved.

A public welcome home reception will be given to the United States Minister to Hayti, Hon. E. D. BASSETT, at Cooper Institute, this evening, at 7 o'clock. His Excellency, E. J. ROYE, President of the Republic of Hayti, Hon. Ann Rey, Mr. Pierre, Ex-Vice-President of the Republic of Liberia; Hon. J. J. WRIGHT, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina; Hon. J. J. SPELMAN, member of the Mississippi Legislature; A. M. POWELL, FREDERICK DOUGLASS, GEO. T. DOWNING, Esqs., Rev. R. H. GARDINER, D. D., and other distinguished gentlemen will be present.

Purser DARONDEUR, of the steam-ship *Ville de Paris*, reports: "On the 17th of September, by lat. 46° 15' and long. 53° 8', met in the fog a ship on fire. Sent a boat on the spot and found her to be a wooden ship of about 500 tons, almost consumed to the water's edge, and probably abandoned for some days. Could not ascertain her name."

A pleasant festival was enjoyed by the members of Companies D and K, of the Eighth Regiment, National Guard, Capts. PENNEYPACKER and GREEN, and a number of invited guests, at the Central Park Garden, last evening. A large representation of National Guardsmen was present on the occasion. Sergt. B. F. BUSCH acted as Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

A slight fire occurred yesterday at No. 18 Trinity-place. Another occurred on the first floor of the tenement-house No. 635 Greenwich-street. The damage was trifling.

Mrs. ELLEN LUECKED, of No. 402 Fifth-street, while intoxicated yesterday, fell into the cellar of No. 115 Elizabeth-street, and received a serious cut on the back of the head. She was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

The Department of Public Parks announce that, if the weather be fine, there will be music by the Central Park band in Madison-square today, from 4½ to 6½ o'clock P. M.

BROOKLYN.

An unknown man drowned himself in Gowanus Canal, near Bond-street, yesterday morning. Before sinking, however, he was observed by a laborer named RICHARD SMITH, who ran to his assistance and pushed a plank toward him, but, evidently determined to end his life, he refused to avail himself of the proffered aid, and, after requesting SMITH to leave him alone, sank to rise no more. The body has not yet been recovered.

St. Michael's Church, (Episcopalian,) on High-street, near Gold, which has been closed for over a year, is to be reopened on the first Sunday of October, under the rectorship of Rev. W. M. WILLIAM, who, in his zeal for the advancement of religion, knowing the locality in question to be a poor one, has refused for the present at least to accept any pecuniary compensation for his labors.

At the corner of Fifth-avenue and Bergen-street the ground was opened, yesterday morning, for the erection of St. Augustus Roman Catholic Church. The building is to be of brick, trimmed with Nova Scotia stone. It is to be 200 feet long by 100 wide. THOMAS F. HOUGHTON is the architect.

PHILIP VARENCK, a boy of fifteen, while carelessly handling a pistol, on Wednesday night, at No. 204 Johnson-street, shot himself through the hand. There were quite a number of children about him at the time, so that it was by the merest accident no greater damage was done.

GEORGE SHEVLIN, of No. 228 Front-street, a somnambulist, walked out of the second-story window of his residence, yesterday morning, and, falling to the ground, bruised himself severely about the head and body.

At 11 o'clock yesterday morning, a young man named SAMUEL TONNER, residing at the corner of Vanbrunt and Tremont streets, was found suffocated in a bin of bone, in SMITH'S fertilizing mills, on Hamilton-avenue.

PETER GILL, of No. 240 Montrose-avenue, attempted to drown himself, yesterday morning, at the foot of South Fourth-street. Officer MCFARLAND, however, saw him in time to frustrate his design.

LONG ISLAND.

JOHN SMITH, a prominent merchant of Long Island City, and the former contractor of the Dummy line, accidentally fell overboard, yesterday, while fishing on the Hunter's Point Bridge. Mr. SMITH was sitting in a chair on the edge of the bridge, when a sudden jerk on his line so startled him that he lost his balance and went overboard. He was rescued in an exhausted condition. While he was struggling in the water a German on the bridge kept repeating, "Can you swim?" not offering to go to the assistance of the drowning man.

An ejectment suit has recently been commenced against the Long Island Railroad by the Bonaparte Railroad Company, in order to gain possession of the dock and road which belongs to them, but which Mr. CHARLICK claims he holds by a lease given by the Flushing Railroad before the property was sold to the South-side Road.

NEW-JERSEY.

MARY BROWER, a domestic at the house of Dr. BALDWIN, Plane-street, Newark, died on Tuesday night, having poisoned herself with opium. She had been deserted by her lover, and threatened to commit suicide by taking opium. She was therefore watched, and on Tuesday Dr. BALDWIN noticed the symptoms of opium poisoning, and charged her with having taken the poison. She denied it, but the doctor believing her took the necessary steps to save her, but it was too late, as she died in two or three hours after the first symptoms were noticed.

The Morris and Essex Railroad Company has deprived the Traders' Express Company, formerly doing business on that road, of its contract. The Morris and Essex has now become only a division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Road, and in October the express business will be transferred to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Express Company. The new company propose to increase facilities and reduce express charges.

The store-house belonging to Mr. TAFFEN, in Haydock-street, Rahway, on Tuesday night, contained 600 barrels of lime, the weight of which was so great that the floor of the building fell through, and the lime fell into the water under the building. The building took fire while the lime was slaking. The loss is $2,000. During the progress of the fire a light broke out between Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 and Hose Company No. 2, which resulted in a general riot. The worst consequences of the fight were twenty or thirty black eyes and broken noses.

The dry-goods store of Messrs. REILLY & CARROLL, in Main-street, Paterson, was robbed, early yesterday morning, of $5,000 worth of dry goods, all the most valuable articles being taken by the thieves. Entrance was effected by cutting open a wooden shutter that covered one of the rear windows. The burglars had a horse and wagon in waiting, to all appearances, and carried away all their booty without difficulty. No clue whatever has been discovered that can lead to the identification of the thieves.

A lot of German emigrants, in passing through Jersey City, yesterday, left at the Erie depot an idiotic child about seven years of age. He was taken charge of by an officer and sent to the Almshouse.

WILLIAM THOMPSON, a brakeman on the Morris and Essex Railroad, had his leg cut off, at about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, by the locomotive of a coal train. He had been sent to the rear of his own train, which was near Madison Station, to [illegible] train. He set down on the track to rest, and [illegible] the train passing over him as it was run over. His injuries are [illegible]

Rutgers College opened at New-Brunswick, opened its Fall term on Tuesday. A large number of students presented, [illegible] the beginning scientific [illegible] than ever before. A number of improvements have been made in the college buildings during the vacation, and the chapel is being handsomely frescoed. Prof. COOK is still absent in Europe. He returns in a few weeks bringing with him Mrs. COOK, who has spent three years in Germany, preparing for the stage of Germania, [illegible] Prof. [illegible] of Civil Engineering [illegible]

The Rev. Dr. [illegible] of the North Reformed Church, Orange, Mr. JOHN F. HALSEY presided, and Mr. THEODORE PERKINS acted in the capacity of musical director. The President, after the appointment of committees, made an address, and was followed by Rev. W. F. STURBERT, who preached an able sermon in the afternoon addresses were made by Rev. Messrs. SEIVE, HUGHES, BRUMMERT, BAYARD, PERKINS and Surgeon. All the Baptist schools of Morristown, Paterson, Jersey City, Newark, Elizabeth, Plainfield and adjacent places, were represented.

Yesterday morning a frame stable on Erie and South Eighth streets was burned. The building belonged to ARTHUR MCENVOY, a dealer in Washington Market. A valuable horse was suffocated by the dense smoke arising from burning straw, and two carriages were destroyed. Loss $1,500, covered by insurance.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Lieut.-Commander Edward A. Walker is ordered to the Boston Navy-yard, and Lieut.-Commanders Geo. W. Pigman and Geo. A. Stickneil to the Naval Academy. Passed Assistant Paymaster Samuel A. Smith, to examination for promotion. Commander C. Johnson is detached from the command of the *Swatara*, as Chief of the Staff of the Pacific Fleet, and placed on waiting orders. Lieut. Commander Chas. W. Tracy, from the receiving-ship *Vandalia*; John C. Kennedy, from the New-York Navy-yard; Geo. A. Monroe, from the Portsmouth Navy-yard, and Lieut. Geo. Talcott, from the receiving-ship at Norfolk, and ordered to the Naval Academy. The order of Commander Bearess (Barrett) to the command of the receiving-ship at Norfolk has been revoked.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—American Securities opened firm, and Stocks steady; closed quiet. The course of the market during the day is indicated by the following table:

	11¼ A. M.	1¼ P. M.	4¼ P. M.
Consols for money	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
Consols for account	92⅞	92⅞@92⅞	92⅞@92⅞
United States 6-20s, 1862	91	..	90⅞
United States 6-20s, 1865, old	90⅞	..	89⅞
United States 6-20s, 1867	90⅞	..	89⅞
United States 10-40s	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞
Illinois Central Shares	113	..	115
Erie Railroad Shares	..	..	15
Alb. & Sus. R. R. Shares	22⅞	..	22⅞

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 21—11¼ A. M.—COTTON—The market opened quiet; Middling Uplands, 9¼d.; Middling Orleans, 9¾d. The sales of the day are estimated at 8,000 bales. 1 P. M.—COTTON—The market is quiet. The sales of the day are now estimated at 10,000 bales. BREADSTUFFS—Flour, 26s. CORN, 36s. PROVISIONS—Pork dull. Lard firm, 47s. 6d. 4 P. M.—COTTON—The market closed quiet; Middling Uplands, 9¼@9 3-16d.; Middling Orleans, 9¾@9¾d. The sales of the day have been 10,000 bales, including 2,000 for export and speculation. PRODUCE—Common Rosin, 4s. 9d. Spirits Turpentine, 29s. 6d. BREADSTUFFS—Flour firmer. LINSEED OIL, £30 10s. ⅌ ton. STEAM OIL, £32 ⅌ ton. TALLOW firmer, 47s. 6d. Sugar dull. SUGAR quiet. LINSEED OIL firm at £31 ⅌ ton.

MONTREBIDO, Aug. 14.—The export market was in a highly excited state, and prices for HIDES had advanced in Buenos Ayres to the extent of 20s. to cover the Excise Tax, which was imposed on the 1st. Rates have nearly up to that of Buenos Ayres, and prices had advanced from 49½c. to 52c. for American Hides, with holders very firm at the latter quotation. The stock of Hides in the hands of the shipments for United States during the past few months had been exceedingly light. EXCHANGE on London, 50¾d. @51d., with £220,000 drawn, and $100,000 sterling shipped in sovereigns, at a cost of 1 ⅌ cent. premium.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BUFFALO, Sept. 21.—RECEIPTS—Flour, 14,000 bbls.; Wheat, 180,000 bushels; Corn, 100,000 bushels; Oats, 14,000 bushels; Barley, 50,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS by canal—Wheat, 89,000 bushels; Corn, 27,000 bushels; Oats, 46,000 bushels; Barley, 10,000 bushels; by rail—Flour, 11,600 bushels; Oats, 1,000 bushels. FREIGHTS dull and unchanged. FLOUR dull and without change. WHEAT unsettled; small lots No. 1 Milwaukee at $1 20. CORN unsettled; car lots No. 2 Western, nominally 74c. OATS quiet and steady; sales, 20,000 bushels; Western, ⅌ sample, at 42c.@43c.; 43,000 bushels do. to arrive, part at 42c. BARLEY unchanged. PROVISIONS—Pork dull and unchanged. HIGGWHISKEY—10 bbls. sold at 90c. The CATTLE market opened firm this week at a still further decline of ¼c.@½c. on good, and fully ½c. on poor and medium. Sales at Western Yards kept in first hands; considerable trade was done in good. Cattle at the reduced rates, the sales reaching 2,100 head; the arrivals were 462 cars, against 427 cars last week; Choice Kentucky brought 10½@11c.; Common, 9@7c.; Heifers, $7 75; Ohio, $7 75@8 50; Cows, Good to Extra, $40 37½@60 10; Ordinary Illinois, $5 25; Canada, $5 12½@5 75; Texas, in small bunches, $4 15. SHEEP have declined ½c. on last week's prices; the supply is light; Canada lambs, 6½@7c.; Ohio Sheep, $4 75@5 75; Ohio Sheep, $4 25. HOGS depressed; quoted $9 75@9 90 for Ohio, and $9 75 for Michigan; Iowa Hogs are worth $9 75@10.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 21.—FLOUR steady and unchanged; sales 2,100 bbls. at $5 25 for No. 1 Spring; $5 75 for Amber Winter, and $7 50 for White, and $8 for Double Extra. WHEAT quiet and easier; No. 1 Milwaukee Club held at $1 20; Red Winter Wabash, $1 27. CORN firm and quiet. OATS nominally unchanged. BARLEY inactive; Upper Canada held at $1 18. FREIGHTS dull; sales 2,400 bushels Canada at 10c.; free. CORNMEAL, $3 for Bolted, $1 90 for Unbolted, ⅌ cwt. MILFEED unchanged. Shorts, $20; Shipstuffs, $22@23; Middlings, $23@24; Rye, $18@19. RECEIPTS—Flour, 1,000 bbls.; Wheat, 7¼c.; Corn, 7c.; Oats, 5c.; Barley, 6½c.; Rye, 7c., to New-York; Lumber, $3 25 to the Hudson; $4 to New-York. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour to Boston and New-York, 40c.; Wheat, 7c. to Albany; Grain and Milfeed to Boston, $1 50; to New-York, $4 50; to Albany, $4 25. ⅌ ton. Lake IMPORTS—85,100 bushels Wheat, 6,300 bushels Barley, 1,600,000 feet Lumber. Canal IMPORTS—21,200 bushels Wheat, 10,100 bushels Barley, 1,570,400 feet Lumber.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 21.—COTTON dull, heavy and lower at 19½c. for Middling. FLOUR quiet and been firm; Howard-street Superfine, $5 25@5 75; do. Extra, $5@5 12½; do. Family, $7@8 25; City Mills Superfine, $5 25@5 50; Extra, $6@7; do. Family, $8@9 50; Western Superfine, $5 25@5 50; Extra, $6@6 50; do. Family, $8 50@7 25. WHEAT quiet; supply light; choice Amber, $1 32@1 35; good to prime, $1 15@1 30; common, $1 12@1 25; White, $1 10@1 35. CORN firm; Western Yellow, 80c. Receive and higher; sales prime White at 97c.@1 02; Yellow, 90c.@96c.; Western, 85c.@91. OATS dull at 47c.@50c. RYE, 65c.@70c. MESS PORK quiet at $23@23 50. BACON quiet and nominally unchanged; Rib Sides, 17c.@17½c.; Clear Rib, 17½c.@17¾c.; Shoulders, 15c.; Hams, 24c.@24½c. LARD quiet at 18½c. WHISKY in good demand at 91c. for iron-bound, and 90c. asked.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—Quercitron BARK unchanged. CLOVERSEED nominal at $7@8; Timothy at $3@3 25. FLAXSEED at $2 30@2 35. FLOUR firm for demand and less firm; Superfine, $4@4 50; Extras, $5 50@5 75; North-western Extra Family, $6@$8 75; Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana do, $6@6 87; Fancy, $7@8 50; Minnesota do, $6@8 50; Patent and Fancy Indiana Red, $1 25@1 40; Choice Western, $1 42@$1 45. RYE—Sales, Western at 86c